

M'NULTY JURY DISAGREES

FOR GUILTY - - - 5

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GEORGE W. BEAVERS IS SENTENCED

Pleads Guilty to Conspiracy and Is
Given Two Years in the
Penitentiary.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—In the criminal court today George W. Beavers pleaded guilty to the indictments charging him with conspiring with Former State Senator George E. Greene of Birmingham, N. Y., and W. D. Doremus to defraud the United States government in connection with the furnishing of postal supplies and also of bribery, and was sentenced to two years in the Moundville, W. Va., penitentiary.

He was taken at once into custody and will be conveyed to Moundville with the first batch of prisoners going there.

HE WANTS EIGHT-HOUR LAW SUSPENDED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Governor Magoon of the Panama canal zone today testified before the Senate committee on inter-oceanic canals. Fear of revolutions, said Governor Magoon, had discouraged agriculture on the isthmus, but since the United States had taken over the zone the fear had almost entirely disappeared, and now rich tracts of land are being taken for cultivation. The eight-hour law was pronounced by the witness a blow at the efficiency of labor upon the canal zone, and he recommended that its application to the zone be suspended.

TWELVE HUNDRED MEN GO ON A STRIKE

SCRANTON, Pa., Feb. 13.—The miners and laborers at the two collieries of the Jermyn Coal Company at Rendham, near here, went on strike today. The men claim the company has discriminated against them in reduction of wages, contrary to the award of the strike commission, and the reduction is an entering wedge to a general cut in wages to be put into effect in the entire region before the award of this commission expires on April 1. Twelve hundred men are involved.

MILLIONS TO BUY LEGATIONS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Representative Longworth's bill appropriating \$5,000,000 for the purchase of American legations and embassies in foreign capitals will be favorably reported upon by the House Committee on Foreign Relations, which voted unanimously in favor of reporting the bill. The committee fixed Friday, February 16, as the time for hearing Secretary Root upon the consular reform bill.

ELECTED SPEAKER OF THE COMMONS

LONDON, Feb. 13.—James William Lowther was unanimously elected Speaker of the House of Commons today. In accordance with precedent, there was no opposition. The House afterward adjourned until tomorrow without transacting any business. The swearing in of members will occupy the rest of the week.

Nearly 300 of the members are entirely new to parliamentary life as a result of the upheaval caused by the general elections.

CARRIES MILLIONS IN TREASURE

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—The Pacific Mail liner China sailed today for Chinese and Japanese ports via Honolulu. She carried about 300 passengers, a full cargo and about \$2,000,000 in treasure. Among the stowage passengers are 125 Russian immigrants who came to California some time ago intending to locate near Los Angeles, but who have been induced to make their future homes in Hawaii. It is expected that they will be followed by others of their countrymen who have learned of the scarcity of labor in the islands.

TRAIN HAS A NARROW ESCAPE IN NORTH

Engines Wrecked But
Trainmen Escape
Injury.

REDDING, Feb. 13.—Southern Pacific passenger train No. 15, south-bound, had a narrow escape from wreck and loss of life at 3 o'clock this morning, half a mile south of Shasta Springs.

The train was eight hours late on account of a freight wreck at Coles, and had two engines.

Engineer Van Vactor of the head engine saw a boulder sliding down the mountain side, and turned on the brakes, but not in time to prevent a collision. Both engines were hurled from the track, the head engine turning over against the embankment.

Fortunately the engines fell to the right of the track, as to the left is a sheer drop down to the river.

Engineer Van Vactor's knee was sprained and he sustained several cuts, but no one else was hurt. Two tramps riding between the engines escaped.

The passengers were awakened by the shock and badly frightened.

The track was torn up for a hundred feet.

A wrecking crew is clearing the track, and traffic may be resumed this afternoon.

FIVE FATALITIES FROM FIRE

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 13.—L. T. Dalley, who was so seriously burned in yesterday's fire on the East Side, died today. Dalley's death makes a total of five fatalities resulting from the conflagration.

UNFAIR RATES.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 13.—Attorney General Herbert S. Hadley of Missouri arrived in Des Moines today for the purpose of taking depositions in regard to the alleged unfair competition in the sale of oil by the Standard Oil Company in Iowa. Deputy Attorney General Rush Lake arrived yesterday and will assist.

AWAIT SUPREME COURT DECISION

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—A brief adjournment was taken in the hearing of the case of the State of Missouri against the Standard Oil Company of Indiana and other oil companies today. The purpose of the delay is to gain time until the Supreme Court of Missouri hands down its decision.

EDITOR RESIGNS AND TROUBLE IS ENDED

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 13.—The controversy among the stockholders and officers of the Atlanta News Publishing Company was ended today by the resignation of John Temple Graves as editor and the dismissal of certain court proceedings. Colonel Graves gave as his reasons for withdrawing his dissatisfaction with the management of the paper.

WILL NOT OPPOSE FORMER PREMIER

LONDON, Feb. 13.—A meeting of the City of London Liberal Association today decided not to oppose the former premier, A. J. Balfour's, campaign for the city election. Mr. Balfour is therefore assured of a seat in Parliament.

TEAMSTER INJURED IN QUEER WAY

Box He Was Handling
Explodes With Great
Force.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—A. Laughlan, a teamster in the employ of the Morton Drayage Company, was severely injured this morning while handling a box of freight belonging to Company B, of the Second Infantry. The box exploded and flew all to pieces, inflicting numerous wounds. The Second Infantry went to Manila on the transport Mead last Saturday. It was a box belonging to the same company which is believed to have caused the fire in the Mead recently, which cost three lives. Chief Quartermaster of this port, Duval, has appointed a committee of officers to investigate the explosion. Laughlan is lying in the hospital.

SENATOR PERKINS' BILL FAVORED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The Senate committee on naval affairs today reported favorably the bill introduced by Senator Perkins to prevent hazing at the Naval Academy.

COAL MINE OPERATORS HAVE AGREED

Will Not Accede to the Demands of
Men and Expect Them to
Strike.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—The coal mine operators have come to a full understanding and have agreed as to the general policy they will pursue at the conference with the committee of the mine workers' union to be held here Thursday next. The presidents of the coal-carrying roads are unwilling to discuss for publication the questions at issue between themselves and the United Mine Workers prior to their meeting with Mr. Mitchell and his associates, but their position, elicited by careful canvass, is, as one president put it, such that "the miners will have to strike or back down."

"We do not propose," he said, "to accede to their demands anyway, and don't see what else they can do but strike. They are coming into this conference to demand an eight-hour day and recognition of the union, besides other things. It was clearly shown in the report of the anthracite commission in 1902 that the miners do not work eight hours a day, and the claim is only a disguised demand for higher rate of wage per hour, as was explained in Mr. Wilcox's recent letter to Mr. Mitchell.

HE DIED IN ROOM IN POODLE DOG

One of the Proprietors of
Place Meets Tragic
End.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—Pierre Carrere, one of the proprietors of the old Poodle Dog restaurant, 445 Bush street, was found lying dead in his room this morning with gas pouring from a broken fixture. It is believed that Carrere's death was accidental.

He retired to his room on the third floor of the building occupied by the Poodle Dog restaurant last night about 12 o'clock.

Mark Lane, a real estate agent of 534 Market street, who occupied an adjoining chamber, detected the odor of gas when he arose this morning. Summoning a waiter to his assistance, Lane forced the door to Carrere's room.

Carrere was lying upon the bed in a natural position. The gas fixture near the head of the bed had been broken off near the wall.

It is believed that Carrere smelled gas escaping from the fixture sometime last night. While half asleep he might have reached up to try the cock and inadvertently wrenched the entire fixture from the wall.

The decedent was one of the best known restaurateurs in San Francisco, having been for many years past engaged in the business. Prior to his connection with the old Poodle Dog, one of the most famous French restaurants in this city, dating back to pioneer days, he was proprietor of an establishment on O'Farrell street, but met with financial embarrassment in that venture.

His partners in the Poodle Dog were Jean B. Pon and Calixte Lalanne.

JURORS WERE OUT ALL NIGHT

Some of Them Wanted to Fix the
Punishment of the
Defendant.

There were five men on the jury that tried Lester C. McNulty that believed him guilty of the charge of having assaulted Dorothy Olsen of Berkeley and would listen to no argument that would tend to lessen the offense in the eyes of the public. They were:

C. G. COLE, JOHN E. HOLMES,
GEORGE RENNER, B. D. GRAY,
THOMAS W. CORDER.
NOT GUILTY.

For acquittal there were:
EMIL KIRCHOFF, W. H. BROWN,
ROBERT BONNER, JOHN D. KEELEY,
DAVID TYSON, HENRY WICKING,
G. DAVIS.

The jury stood seven to five for acquittal and after being out all last night were discharged this morning by Judge T. W. Harris, after every one of them had stated that it was impossible for them to agree on a verdict.

CODES IN JURY ROOM.

A development of the case that might have had an important bearing on it under other circumstances was the finding of a copy of an amendment to the codes in the jury room this morning after the jurors had left it. They asked for the penalty attached to the offense last night and Judge T. W. Harris told the jury in unmistakable terms that its duty was with the facts of the case and that the legal part of the matter was with him—in other words, that it could either acquit or convict. It was evident from the finding of the book on the table that the jurors got hold of the copy of the amendment to the codes and looked the matter up for themselves.

NO COMPROMISE.

Several of the jurors who stood out for conviction stated that they could easily have compromised the matter with the others if they had been willing to convict McNulty of simple assault, but that the limit for simple assault was but three months in the county jail, and they would not consider this, for they did not believe it was commensurate with the crime of which they believed him guilty.

On the other hand, the seven for acquittal took the view that while McNulty may have been guilty of violence he had received some encouragement from the girl herself, and they were not willing to send a man to State's prison for an offense when, had it not been for the action of the girl herself, he would never have been in such a predicament. This was indicated by a request for instructions by the jury last night, when Foreman W. H. Brown asked Judge Harris to read over again the instructions regarding the ride out on the car.

SMILE AND GLANCE.

These instructions were to the effect that if the jury found that Dorothy Olsen had given McNulty encouragement by smiling at him or returning his glances and believed that she was a willing party to his actions, then they should find him not guilty. These instructions, however, said Judge Harris this morning "Amounted to no more than the testimony of McNulty himself. If the jury believed McNulty's testimony then they should have acquitted him. That was all the instructions said. If the jurors believed that the young woman was willingly on the lawn with McNulty, which she described as an assault and he has an innocent flirtation, then the court could do no more than instruct them to acquit."

MANY GUESSES.

There was considerable speculation as to how the jury stood on the question about the court house during the night and this morning. The general opinion was abroad that the larger number was for conviction and that the smaller number was for acquittal. The personality of each juror was also considered and guesses made as to how this one or that one would stand in the matter.

TWO VOTES CHANGED.

In a number of cases the sentiment seemed to be that there were some who would vote for an acquittal on general principles on the ground that a man, before the commission of such an act, must have been given encouragement whether the evidence showed this conclusively or not. David Tyson and Robert Bonner were both on the jury that convicted young A. C. Webb Jr. of a somewhat similar charge. Both were for acquittal and stood out for several hours, but finally saw that there was no hope of their bringing over the balance and finally cast their votes with the majority. It was believed that in the present instance their stand would be the same, and having the majority with them they voted consistently for acquittal.

THE JURYMEN.

W. H. Brown, the foreman of the jury, was another who had previously served. He was one of the jurors in the Logan trial, when Henry Logan, a church trustee, was on trial for running away with fifteen year old Ethel Cook, and Brown was one of the six who stood out for an acquittal in that case. These three, it was conceded, would go into the box with a natural leaning towards an acquittal. Several of the others had served on other juries, but their stand could not be predicted from any action they had previously taken, but it was thought that there was a good chance for a disagreement from the personnel of the jury, and that if there was a conviction it

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COPPER WAR OVER MARINES DESERT

Amalgamated Interests
Acquire Property of
Heinze.
Twenty-Five Are Absent
From Mare Island
Without Leave.

MONTPELIER, Mont., Feb. 13.—Arthur C. Carson, representing Thomas F. Cole of Duluth, this morning took possession of all mines and mining property of F. Augustus Heinze and the United Copper Company in Silver Bow County, which have been in controversy or litigation with the Amalgamated Copper Company. This means that peace has come to the warring copper mining interests of Butte.

The announcement that a sale of the Heinze properties had been made came in a telegram this morning from John D. Ryan, managing director for the Amalgamated Copper Company, who is now in New York.

Mr. Ryan, with his attorneys, left Butte for New York early last night on the business deal which was consummated today. He was closely followed by Mr. Heinze. Since then many reports had been received that a deal was pending, but no official announcement of the fact was made until today, when the deal was consummated.

The transaction involves property valued at many millions of dollars. No intimation was received here today from official sources as to the terms of the deal. It is only known that Heinze has sold all his interests in Silver Bow County, and that he has been completely eliminated from the copper mining operations of this district. His properties have been acquired by interests friendly to the Amalgamated Copper Company.

Included among the properties turned over to Mr. Carson today were the Atlantic Healy, Rebus, Corral, Belmont, Nipper, Johnstown and the interests of the Hyperkav Mining Company, the Montana Ore Purchasing Company. Among these interests are a number of properties not now producing, as well as producing mines, and a smelter.

The deal concluded today settles for all time the litigation and disputes that have retarded the development of the district in the past.

The settlement effected by the sale of the Heinze properties releases valuable ore bodies owned by each of the contestants and claimed by both. Included among such ore bodies are those of the Minnie Healy, the Michael Davitt, the Tramway, the Snohomish and the Nipper groups, and there are many others. More than one hundred lawsuits, involving claims for more than \$50,000,000, are settled by the deal which has just been consummated by Mr. Ryan and his associates.

Thomas F. Cole is taking title to the properties which will be transferred to a new company in which the Amalgamated Copper Company, the North Butte Mining Company and the United Copper Company interests will be associated.

The various superintendents and foremen in the employ of Mr. Heinze and his companies were assembled today in the office of the North Butte Company and there gave Mr. Carson possession of the properties under them. Among those present were William Kidney, general superintendent of the United Copper Company, and Harry Charles, superintendent of the Montana Ore Purchasing Company.

MARRIAGE AFFAIR TANGLED

UNIQUE POINT RAISED IN SUIT
CONCERNING CONTEST
OF WILL.

An odd point in a contest raised over the estate of the late Bertha Bauman of Berkeley, who died leaving property valued at \$20,000 at Shattuck and University avenues, is being heard today by Judge Henry Melvin sitting in the probate department. The contestant in the case is Herbert Bauman, the former husband of the deceased woman.

According to his story he and Bertha Bauman were married many years ago, but during the stock excitement of early days in San Francisco the former took the place of their joint property in the division of the money they gained they quarreled and separated. While away from their home for a short time Bertha Bauman secured a divorce but later on they again took up their residence under the same roof as man and wife without, however, going through the formality of having the divorce set aside.

They have been living out in Berkeley for many years and Bauman is now interested in showing that by living together in this way a common-law marriage was contracted and that they were legally husband and wife at the time of her death, notwithstanding the divorce that had been granted her. To this end Peter T. Riley, Esq., Fischer, H. C. Boninger, William J. Achson and James Sabin were called as witnesses this morning and testified to having known Bauman and his supposed wife for many years; that they lived together as man and wife and introduced themselves as such.

The law declaring that a common-law marriage was invalid was not passed until 1895 and it is claimed in Bauman's behalf that long prior to this time the ties that had been severed by the divorce had been reunited by their action in proclaiming themselves generally to the world as husband and wife. As against his claim are those of Minna Both, Clara Epples, and Louis Both, nieces and nephews of the deceased, who claim the estate as the nearest of her kin.

There are some forty witnesses to be examined in the matter, most of whom are for Bauman, who knew the couple as man and wife.

CHINESE IN TROUBLE.

Gea Num, Ton Lin and Boy Sar, three Chinese merchants who are alleged to have added to their incomes by selling lottery tickets, this morning demanded jury trials before Police Judge Samuels. The cases were continued until March.

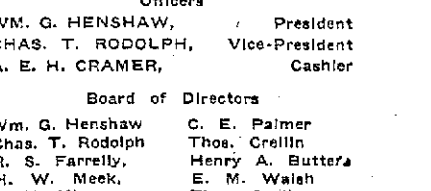
UPHOLD INDICTMENTS.

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 13.—The Court of Appeals today upheld the indictments against Abraham H. Hummel, the well-known New York lawyer, charging subornation of perjury in the Dodge-Morse divorce case.

SNOW STORM.

WICHITA, Kan., Feb. 12.—Rain that began falling at 9 o'clock last night turned to sleet and snow at noon today. The storm extends into Texas.

Much colder weather, with high winds, snow and sleet, is promised tonight. Stock in the Pan-Handle region may suffer. Telegraph service to the south is impaired.



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DEPOSITS - - \$4,520,330.25

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Interest Paid on Savings Deposits.
Commercial and Savings Bank.

The Union Savings Bank
Broadway & Thirteenth St
OAKLAND

SENT TO THE ASYLUM GUILTY OF BEATING HIS WIFE

He Had No Fear That
She Would Shoot
Him.

WOMAN BELIEVES SHE IS TO GO TO PRISON FOR HUSBAND'S MISDEEDS.

Esther Hopkins, a young colored woman, was committed to the Negro Asylum this morning by Judge W. H. West. She is believed to be the victim of her husband's desertion, and his debts, which she worked to pay off. She has been working for Mrs. A. McCullough, at her school at 2108 College avenue, in Berkeley, and recently broke down in health, and has the hallucination that she is to go to jail for her husband's misdeeds.

It came out that the woman and her husband had been engaged in the restaurant business in West Oakland, and that they had furnished a home with goods purchased of the Jackson Furniture Company, which Hopkins sold and got the money for, and then decamped, leaving the wife behind. He was guilty of a felony in selling the goods that did not belong to him, but his wife took up the indebtedness, and paid it off in weekly installments, until she had a receipt for the debt.

In doing this, however, she had overworked herself, and in conjunction with her work over the home, her husband, to whom she was very much attached, mental prostration followed. It is believed, however, that the rest she will get at the asylum and care and attention, she will soon recover.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk today:

George W. Roper, San Francisco.....\$1
Mary E. Lewis, San Francisco.....\$1
Wilbert M. Hadley, Los Angeles.....\$1
Mabel J. Stewart, Los Angeles.....\$1
J. W. Austin, San Francisco.....\$1
Mabel Abbott, Berkeley.....\$1
Samuel R. Beedstone, Riverside.....\$1
Adele M. Danforth, Oakland.....\$1
LeRoy Shields, Oakland.....\$1
Elwina Michaels, Oakland.....\$1
Robert Cornack, Oakland.....\$1
Margaret A. Crawford, Oakland.....\$1

BANKER-PARSON'S DUPLICITY

WIDOW SHOWS HOW MAN WHO
COMMITTED SUICIDE
ROBBED HER.

PEORIA, Ill., Feb. 13.—Sensational developments in the case of George H. Simmons, the banker-preacher who killed himself a week ago today, were made in the Probate Court today when the widow asked the appointment of an administrator of the estate. Her statement showed that her husband had dissipated \$3000 she held at the time of their marriage, giving her worthless notes representing the amount. Since his death investigations conducted by the Sheriff showed these notes to be forgeries. Mrs. Simmons further said her husband had destroyed all her private papers, will, etc., a few hours before his death. A meeting of the depositors of the People's Savings Bank has been called for Friday evening, when Receiver Witell will present his report.

KEY ROUTE MAY PURCHASE

REPORTED DEAL FOR SALE OF
RICHMOND LINE AND EX-
TENSION.

An unverified rumor has become current that the Key Route Ferry and Railroad Company will soon acquire the Richmond street car line with a view to building a line to Martinez and extending its suburban train service to the towns in Contra Costa county along the San Pablo bay shore. The Richmond street railway is controlled by Mr. Ream, general manager of the Pacific Oil Company. As yet there has been no transfer of the property, and it is not yet known if a price of sale has been agreed upon, both parties being secretive in the matter.

Another rumor is to the effect that the Key Route people do not intend to parallel the Southern Pacific's bay shore line, but will build further south into the valley of Walnut creek, as was projected some time ago.

PETALUMA GIRL TO MARRY A PASTOR

PETALUMA, Feb. 13.—Mrs. N. Ackerman of this city has announced the engagement of her eldest daughter, Miss Jennie R. Ackerman, to Rev. Samuel C. Patterson of San Francisco. Miss Ackerman has been a teacher in the local grammar schools for a number of years and is an ardent worker in the Congregational Church. It was while Rev. Mr. Patterson was pastor of the Congregational Church of this city that the friendship which ripened into love began. Miss Ackerman is prominent in local society and is a member of a well-known and wealthy family. Rev. Samuel C. Patterson was formerly pastor of the Congregational Church at Lodi. He resided in this city for three years and left only a few months ago to accept a call to the Bethany Congregational Church in San Francisco. The wedding will take place at the local Congregational Church on February 20th. Rev. Chester Ferris will perform the ceremony.

MRS. HENRY DEAD.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 13.—Mrs. Maude Wood Henry of Toledo, Ohio, former wife of Arthur Henry, the author, who was found almost lifeless in a Pullman sleeper yesterday and who was removed to the Charity Hospital, died at that institution. She never completely regained consciousness. Mrs. Henry's attack was diagnosed at this place as nervous prostration.

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would only be by there being a large majority, which would eventually pull over the remaining few.

OUT ALL NIGHT.

At 9 o'clock Judge Harris ordered the jury called in from the room where they had spent the night in deliberation, and after he had asked them if they had agreed on a verdict and they said they had not, he said that he would discharge them, and he then and there allowed them to go.

In regard to their stand the jurors stated that their first and last vote was the same and that it never changed. They said that they argued the matter over until 3 o'clock in the morning, but that at that hour no one would change a vote and they concluded that it was of no use to argue any longer.

WILL BE TRIED AGAIN.

The case was then allowed to go over until next Monday morning, when it will come up to be set down for another hearing. This makes the fourth trial in which a disagreement has resulted lately. The Logan jury disagreed, the Hasse jury, the Pembroke jury and now the McNulty jury. The calendar judges have been working to clear is making little progress in this direction, as all of the important cases have resulted in mistrials and judges and attorneys are now looking forward to the new panel of jurors that has just been drawn for some positive action one way or another.

FRAMING THE DEMANDS MINERS WILL GIVE THEIR FIG- URES TO THE BOSSSES.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—The sub-committee of six, made up of the presidents and secretaries of the three anthracite mine districts, continued their conferences today with relation to the framing of a set of demands to be presented to the operators Thursday. Although the scale committee has been working for a week in an endeavor to draw up the propositions, there still remains much to be done. The committee has in its hands an exceedingly large number of resolutions, petitions and requests from the local unions, each asking for the correction of some difficulty. Some of these have been rejected, while others have been adopted in various forms.

While the scale committee has decided on the main points, there still are some minor grievances on which they have not agreed, but which, according to the district officers, will be disposed of without causing any friction.

The sub-committee probably will be in session all day. After it has concluded its work it will make a report to the full committee, which numbers thirty-five members. This probably will not occur until tomorrow. Pending the conclusion of the work of the sub-committee, President Mitchell devoted the greater part of the day to the routine work of the national executive board.

William Little, a member of the International Little, and Edward W. McKay, a national organizer, both of whom belong in the Pittsburgh district, arrived here today in response to a telegram from President Mitchell.

SALE OF WATER WORKS

PLANT OF RICHMOND COMPANY
SOLD TO THE SYNDICATE
COMPANY.

Yesterday the Syndicate Water Company purchased the Richmond water works and certain lands aggregating 1600 acres bordering on Wild Cat canyon in Contra Costa county, from William Minter, John Nicholl and Mrs. Emily S. Tewksbury. It is stated that the price paid for the water works was \$100,000 and for the lands, \$100,000. The Richmond Water Works were established about two years ago to supply Richmond and Point Richmond. The principal features of the system are a reservoir with a storage capacity of 1,000,000 gallons, some wells and distributing pipes in Richmond.

The works have been on the market for some time. Louis Titus conducted the negotiations for the Syndicate Water Company and William Minter represented the sellers in the transaction.

The Contra Costa Water Company draws a portion of its supply for Berkeley from Wild Cat canyon above the lands bought from the Tewksbury estate yesterday by the Syndicate Water Company.

The Contra Costa Company is now preparing plans for a pipe line to Richmond and Point Richmond for the purpose of supplying all that territory with water. The company recently amended its articles of incorporation with a view to extending its business in Contra Costa county. Richmond will therefore soon have competition in the water business.

HOME-MADE CONDUITS.

"To secure these conduits," said Mr. Van Liew, "it was necessary to have dies made that had to be done in the East. These dies have now arrived here and the work of making the conduits has been let to Winsor's California Pottery and Enamel Works in East Oakland.

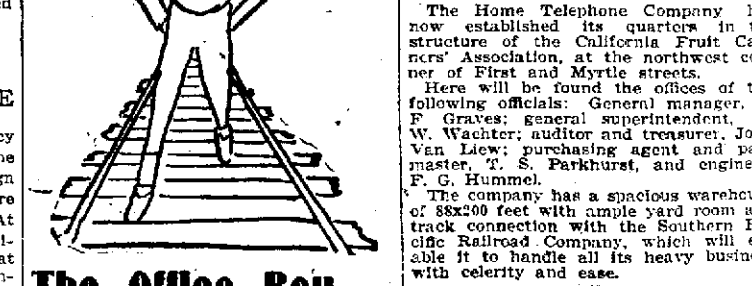
Just as soon as the conduits are turned out, the laying of the same will be commenced. That is, we will get enough of the joints made to keep the conduit layers at work. To commence work and then discontinue it for lack of material would tend to discourage the men and that we do not want to do. When we set to work we want to keep at it.

"The conduits which we are going to lay will be 4 inches square—that is, perhaps 3/4 of an inch larger than those which have been seen along the streets.

The Home Telephone Company has now established its quarters in the structure of the California Fruit Canners' Association, at the northwest corner of Fifth and Broadway streets.

Here will be found the offices of the following officials: General manager, F. W. Wachter, secretary and treasurer, John Van Liew, purchasing agent and paymaster, T. S. Parkhurst, and engineer, F. G. Hummel.

The company has a spacious warehouse of 8x1200 feet with ample yard room and truck connection with the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, which will enable it to handle all its heavy business with celerity and ease.



HE MAY DIE OF HIS INJURIES

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 13.—It is probable that Andrew Larson, the man now lying in the County Hospital suffering from injuries received Friday night, when he was assaulted and beaten into unconsciousness, will die before night. R. Delarino, a prominent saloonkeeper, was arrested this morning and confessed to having been Larson's assailant, but when he learned of his victim's condition and while the officer was watching his house to prevent his escape, after he had been allowed to go home, he mysteriously eluded the officer and the authorities have been unable to trace him.

Headquarters for Valentines

Sentiment, utility and pleasure are combined in the many Valentine souvenirs that are to be found here. Heart boxes of all sizes and kinds; souvenirs for Valentine parties; the world's choicest candies to fill them with.

Lehnhardt's
1139 Broadway

ROBBED A DEPOT

Headquarters Are to Be Southern Pacific Company
Is Victim of Bold
Burglars.

LODI, Feb. 13.—The Southern Pacific depot here was robbed about 11 o'clock last night of \$15 in coin and a large amount of currency. The burglars entered the office of the station agent through the baggage-room, unlocked the money drawer from its fastenings and carried it to a boxcar, where, apparently, they divided the spoils, as some money has been found there. The burglary was a daring one, for it occurred just before the arrival of the overland train, when all the money would have been shipped to Sacramento.

PIONEER'S HEART IS BROKEN BY SUICIDE

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 13.—Malcolm Beall, aged 71, a pioneer of this section, who, in the early fifties had crossed the plains in a prairie schooner, died Sunday night of a broken heart. The physicians who attended him say he was not afflicted with any disease, and despite his years was far from being infirm, but overcame the old man that he took to his bed and was never again able to leave it. What caused the suicide has never been discovered. Physicians were called to attend the father, but they could do nothing. A week ago the patient became unconscious and never rallied. He had been dead for hours when a member of the family went to minister to his wants.

GOOD WORK AT ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

This oldest of Episcopal churches in Oakland seems to be taking on new life. Everything in connection with the service has been improved and St. John's has one of the best choirs in the city. In order to take a full survey of the devotional and missionary work of the church, the vestry and the Guild together for conference last evening at the Guild hall, and while partaking of a splendid repast provided by the ladies, the needs and greater work of the parish were discussed. The vestry and Guild say such meetings for social purposes and incidental business must be increased and enlarged.

NEBRASKA BLIZZARD.

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 13.—Following a day and night of moderately mild weather, the temperature early this morning rapidly dropped and a blizzard. A strong wind is blowing from the north and the snow is drifting.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

DENVER, Feb. 13.—The Colorado and Southern Railroad shops in this city were destroyed today by a fire which started in the carpenter department. Loss estimated at \$200,000.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BRONCHO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

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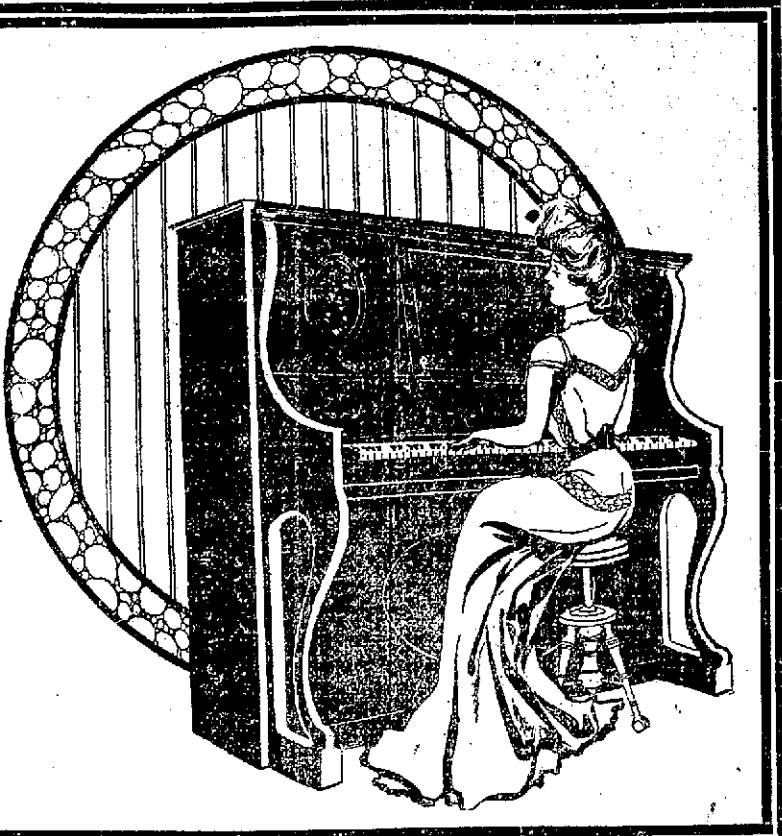
Sentiment, utility and pleasure are combined in the many Valentine souvenirs that are to be found here. Heart boxes of all sizes and kinds; souvenirs for Valentine parties; the world's choicest candies to fill them with.

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Have you an old piano?

Do you know that you can trade it in as part payment on a Steinway? We will allow whatever it is worth, and you can pay the balance in monthly payments if you prefer.

Sherman, Clay & Co.
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HIS CASE COMPLETE

Hadley Says He Has Finished Evidence in Standard Oil Case.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Feb. 13.—With the taking of the testimony of Frank Northrup and F. E. Lyman of Des Moines, former Standard Oil Company employees, Attorney-General Hadley today announced he had made out his case against the Standard Oil Company in Missouri and expects to get a decision ousting the company from doing business in that State.

The taking of depositions began in the office of Read and Road, local attorneys, Frank Hagerman of Kansas City and A. D. Eddy of Chicago appeared as attorneys for the Standard Oil Company.

Before the conclusion of Hadley's depositions, Attorney-General Hadley asserted he had positive evidence that the Standard Oil Company had formed a combination and divided the territory in Missouri between them.

F. R. Northrup, formerly agent for the Standard Oil Company in St. Louis, said he had not instructed the Standard Oil Company after it had absorbed the Standard Oil Company and the Cleveland Refining Company not to enter the territory of either the Waters-Pierce Company or the Standard Oil Company in Missouri, but not to raise the fight upon the independent companies. The latter also instructed him to follow the price of the Waters-Pierce Company. Mr. Northrup testified that he was always given one or two days advance notice of the prices of the Waters-Pierce Company.

"I have you any more letters belonging to the company which you appropriated

TIRED OF LIFE AWFUL SUFFERING

From Dreadful Pains From Wound on Foot—System All Run Down After Six Months' Agony—Not Able to Work—Completely Cured in Two Weeks

MIRACULOUS CURE BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"Words cannot speak highly enough for the Cuticura Remedies. I am now seventy-two years of age. My system had been all run down. My blood was so bad that blood poisoning had set in. I had several doctors attending me, so finally I went to the hospital, where I was laid up for two months. My foot and ankle were almost beyond recognition. Dark blood flowed out of wounds in many places, and I was so disheartened that I thought surely my last chance was slowly leaving me. As the foot did not improve, you can readily imagine how I felt. I was simply disgusted and tired of life. I stood this pain, which was dreadful, for six months, and during this time I was not able to wear a shoe and not able to work."

"Some one spoke to me about Cuticura. The consequences were I bought a set of the Cuticura Remedies of one of my friends who was a druggist, and the price that I gave after the second application is beyond description; it seemed a miracle, for the Cuticura Remedies took effect immediately. I washed the foot with the Cuticura Soap before applying the Ointment and I took the Resolvent at the same time. After two weeks' treatment my foot was healed completely. People who had seen my foot during my illness and who have seen it since the cure, can hardly believe their own eyes."

Robert Schoenhauer, Newburgh, N. Y.
Sold throughout the world. Cuticura Soap, 25c; Ointment, 25c. Resolvent, 50c. In form of Cuticura Cream, 25c. per tin of 50, may be had of all druggists. Home and Foreign. The Cuticura Remedies, New York, N. Y.

TELLS OF THE NEW FIELD GUN

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—General Crozier, chief of the Ordnance Department, has given testimony before a subcommittee of the House committee on appropriations in explanation of his estimate for the field guns adopted two years ago.

"The new gun," he said, "is not very much more powerful than the old one. It is of a little smaller caliber, nevertheless firing a little heavier projectile. The principal difference in the carriage is that for the new gun it permits a very long recoil of the gun upon the carriage on discharge. For this reason the action of the gun under the carriage in the recoil is very gentle and the carriage is not displaced nor is any time lost in re-aiming the gun. Instead of firing one or two rounds a minute, as was possible with the old gun, the new gun will be ready to fire five times in one minute."

The General hopes to supply the army with 250 batteries of these guns, that is at a rate of two guns per household man for an army of 500,000 men, which, he says, is a very moderate estimate.

LITTLE EGYPT WENT WITH HIM

PORTLAND, Feb. 13.—When Horace G. McKinley slipped out of the country three months ago to the disappointment of the numerous victims of his timber land operations, he was accompanied on the steamship which carried him to Shanghai by "Little Egypt," a notorious woman known in every city in the country. Mrs. Horace McKinley, better known as Marie Ware, remained behind and is now in San Francisco, no doubt dutifully awaiting the return of her errand spouse.

According to State Land Agent West, who has been investigating McKinley's succumbence to the charms of "Little Egypt" just about the time he began to realize that he was in imminent danger of arrest and prosecution for his wholesale forgeries of State school land certificates. He determined on flight, and his charmer was persuaded to accompany him. It is said that Pillsbury of Minneapolis, son and heir of a millionaire, was a passenger on the same vessel, and this gave rise to the story that he had taken McKinley under his wing and had opened the way for him to float a street railroad project in one of the large cities of China.

MEN EVIDENTLY PLANNED ROBBERY

VALLEJO, Feb. 13.—Sunday afternoon Officer Gehman found three hoodlums in a boxcar at the North Vallejo depot and was taking them to the police station when they made a break for liberty. One man ran back toward the track and another up an alley. The officer seized the third, handcuffed him and then drew his revolver and fired in his air toward the man running up the alley. Gehman had just got back to his prisoner when the man who had chosen the alley gave a man of the same sudden appearance and pointed a revolver at the officer. The latter quickly made a shield of his prisoner and the man with the weapon, rather than make a target of his friend, got away.

At the jail a revolver, fully loaded, a bunch of skeleton keys and an electric flashlight were found on the prisoner. Chief of Police Stanford thinks they are holdup men or burglars from San Francisco. He is sure the man is a professional. He is Harry Dalton, the man arrested was today sentenced to five months in the County Jail on a vagrancy charge. The police will investigate his record.

A big robbery had evidently been planned by that trio of Dalton, says the names of the other men are Jimmie Ross and A. O'Neill.

WILL FIX COST.

The further taking of testimony as to the value of the plant lost by Niehaus Brothers in a fire, which they are now suing the Contra Costa Water Company for as having been responsible for their loss owing to the failure of the water company to determine by a disinterested jury of competent men on the outside and an effort made by attorneys for both sides to arrive at a fair valuation of the mill item by item, which promised to straggle out to an interminable length if heard by the judge.

PURE FOOD BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The Senate has agreed to vote on the Pure Food bill February 21st.

CONVICT TELLS OF FRENCH'S EFFORTS WHILE FORMER WAS IN JAIL.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 13.—When the trial of former Senator Frank French, charged with bribery, was resumed this morning Harry Bunkers again took the witness stand under cross-examination by defendant's counsel.

The effort of Attorney Frank D. Ryan was directed toward showing a discrepancy between the testimony given by Bunkers in the case before Juror D. M. Cox was excused on account of illness and that given on direct examination yesterday on some material points.

The only interesting development in the trial at the morning session was the statement by Bunkers that while he was confined in the county jail, French, unknown to him, tried to secure his release on bonds, but did not succeed. Bunkers said he never knew of French's efforts in his behalf until he had testified for the prosecution in the Simmons case.

At the time he gave the damaging testimony against his former associates he believed French, his Simmons and Wright, had deserted him and left his wife and child to get along as best they could.

Clarence Grange, secretary of the Phoenix Building and Loan Association, was then called as a witness for the prosecution and under direct examination told of the scheme planned to trap the bootlegging legislators.

BELASCO WINS OVER MOROSCO

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 13.—The request of Manager Oliver Morosco of the Burbank Theater for an injunction to prevent the performance of "The Little Princess" at the Belasco Theater this week was denied by Judge Welborn of the United States Circuit Court. Morosco claimed that he had the only right to the Los Angeles production of this piece, granted him by the author's representative, Mrs. H. C. de Mille of New York.

The Belasco management submitted affidavits showing that they had secured rights to produce the play from Alice Yausser, another New York play agent.

YOUNG CHILD DIES AFTER EATING PILLS

LODI, Feb. 13.—The two-year-old child of E. W. Hopkins died today of quinine poisoning. He ate six two-grain chocolate coated pills and expired in convulsions.

CREW IS PRAISED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The State Department has received a letter from the United States Legation at Tokyo praising the crew of the battleship Wisconsin for their exemplary behavior during their visit to Yokohama. The Wisconsin took part in the celebration of the return to Admiral Togo in Yokohama harbor and though the men were given full shore leave, not a single case of drunkenness or disorderly conduct was reported.

BUYS FINE SPAN.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 13.—Paul Brunzel, who recently came south from Portland, has provided D. L. Randolph of this city with one of the handsomest pairs of black horses ever driven through these streets. They are sixteen hands high and there is not five pounds difference in their weight. The price was \$800.

LINCOLN PROGRAM.

BERKELEY, Feb. 13.—The children of the Columbus School held a Lincoln program Monday afternoon in their new assembly hall.

Mr. Gilbert, a Grand Army officer, spoke to them of his experience in the Civil War.

Miss Mary Lemos, Theodore Glinther and Anna Macklin, three prominent school members, were on the committee.

PRIEST IS ILL

CHAPMAN, Kan., Feb. 13.—Rev. Father John E. Leary, national chaplain of the G. A. R., is dangerously ill with pneumonia at his home here.

CASTRO MAKES A SHARP REPLY TO FRANCE

Declares That Premier Rouvier Is Entirely Wrong Regarding the Facts.

CARACAS, Venezuela, Feb. 9. (Friday), via Port of Spain, Island of Trinidad, Feb. 13.—The Venezuelan government yesterday, February 9, transmitted to M. Mauborguet, the former Charge d'Affaires of Venezuela at Paris, who is also Venezuela's representative in London, a long note dated February 7, of which the following is a synopsis:

"To M. Mauborguet, Venezuelan Charge d'Affaires, London. You will answer Premier Rouvier's note of January 18 addressed to you as follows: 'I am ordered by my government to say that to appreciate the situation and the case it is necessary to discriminate. The real facts are that the Venezuelan government said it would not treat through M. Talguy (former French Charge d'Affaires in Venezuela) until satisfactory explanations were given and not, as M. Rouvier's note states, that Foreign Minister Barra had notified the French representative that he would not have any further official relations with him.'

"That regarding the cable company, France did not, because she could not, allege a denial of justice, and instead of approaching Venezuela in a friendly manner, accused her of violating French rights, thereby abandoning the legal road and assuming the responsibility of the cable company.

"Venezuela asks, did the cable company fill its contract? Did the French government employ assistants the wreckers of Venezuelan liberties? 'If not, Venezuela yields. Otherwise she holds France responsible and is willing to submit this to arbitration.

"Venezuela throughout has acted in a friendly manner and withdrew her note when requested to do so. When she prohibited the re-issuing of M. Talguy it was in order to avoid greater unpleasantness, but France violently expelled Mr. Mauborguet without alleging any fault.

"It must also be remembered that the French before the mixed tribunals claimed \$6,000,000 bolivars, but they never had a quarter of this in Venezuela.

"If these facts can be disproved, Venezuela bows and accepts the obligations.

"TBARRA."

JUDGE TAPPAN AS DELEGATES ARE STILL TRYING TO BRING FRANCE METES OUT MERCY AND LECTURES.

Justice of the Peace Tappan, of Alameda, had his day in court this morning, and presided over Department 1 of the police court during the temporary absence of Judge Smith. He dispensed justice in such a whirlwind fashion that even the ordinary drunks and vagrants in the dock were compelled to sit up and take notice.

Mary Tomoney, a fine cook, but a habitual visitor in the dock on charges of drunkenness, was the first to come before Judge Tappan. It was no new experience to her. She had faced all kinds of judges and under direct examination told of the scheme planned to trap the bootlegging legislators.

EASY FOR MIKE.

Michael Hogan, a laboring man, was the next to face the judicial burlier for a race with his honor.

"What do you do for a living?" asked the Court.

"I work for the water company," replied the prisoner.

"You got drunk and work for the water company," said the Judge indignantly.

"I have worked for them seven years," volunteered the prisoner.

"Worked for the water company for seven years and got drunk?" mused the Court.

"Well, it seems to me that there should be enough water cars where you work so that you could climb up on one and stay there. Now, Mike, you got drunk and got aboard the water wagon. Nail yourself on with spikes, and don't come back. You stick there!"

"You left the court room with a happy grin."

J. R. Denning, a Point Richmond citizen, who fell off a similar vehicle with a wheel and a head lamp, was next.

"You have been drinking," said the Court, as he surveyed the sadly worn and listless appearance of the defendant.

"You look like a fool," said the Court, "and you are a drunk."

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ANY TEACHER YOU SELECT

Six Months' Lessons Free—A Piano at Wholesale and All Instruction Books Without Cost.

Eilers Music Company Makes Positively the Most Liberal Offer Ever Presented to the People of Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda. The Time of This Offer Is Too Short to Permit of Delay. Only One Hundred to Be Sold.

Every child should study music; every parent says so. What better opportunity could there be than for the child to begin when the lessons for the first six months are absolutely free. Not only that, but when the very instruction and music books are also free and presented at the expense of the various factories. Not only that, but when the pianos themselves are being sold at wholesale price.

THE REASON FOR THE SALE.
Last year the Eilers Music Company did the largest business ever done in Oakland. Good pianos, low prices, kindly treatment of customers—these are the things that went to build up a wonderful year's work. But every year must beat the last, and this year we feel that we can double that record if we go about it right. And "go about it right" is the reason for the present offer.

The greatest advertisement possible is a satisfied customer. How better can we start our new year than by dividing our profits with one hundred people and starting their children on the happy way to a musical education? With a hundred people talking for us in February we ought to have a thousand sales in December.

The time of this offer is limited to one month, and will end March 5th next, or before that if the one hundred pianos are sold. Musicians who desire advanced courses in study are just as eligible to them as beginners—these mean just what we say when we tell you you may choose any teacher you desire. This can be entirely a matter between you and the teacher, and need only concern us in the paying of the bills.

AN ELEGANT STOCK.
We want you to see our stock of pianos. It is even a greater inducement to buy here than even the price of the lessons we offer. There is not one poor instrument in the lot. There are sweet-toned Hazeltons, as sweet and as pure of tone as ever a stringed instrument produced; and artistic Kimbells, used by practically every great singer in the world and praised by them all; and Deckers (the original Decker pianos), with the record of never having had a poor piano on the market; and old Hallet & Davis pianos, whose name was a household word even in the time of our grandmothers; there are Schumanns, Feases and the many-toned Orchestral Crown—all high-grade pianos with the stamp of quality wrought in the name.

PRICES WITH TERMS.
We have some of the highest-grade brand-new upright pianos at just about half their regular retail price, or, in plain figures, for \$186. And the terms on these are comparatively as low: \$5 or \$6 down and \$5 or \$6 a month puts one into your home, music lessons and all. Then there are some great, hand-carved, fancy-carved exhibition instruments, now marked less than \$400. Pay \$50 down and about \$15 a month. We have another great line of uprights, all brand new, regular \$400 instruments, for \$268. Pay \$40 down and \$15 down and \$8 or \$10 a month.

No one should be without a piano, now that such an offer has been made. And no child should be without a good start toward a musical education. There is not a single day, however, to delay. The time to get a piano is now—now, when this advantageous offer is being made, and the saving is so great. This applies to the Oakland Store only—Twelfth and Clay streets, two blocks west of Broadway. One of a chain of fifteen Eilers Stores—Biggest, Busiest and Best.

POLICE SEEK FOR BLAKER'S BROTHER

JAMES BLAKER, brother of George Blaker, who is serving a sentence of life for the murder of Thomas Cook in East Oakland several months ago, is being sought for by the police on a charge of battering Deputy Constable Dameral while the latter was arresting Michael Moore on a charge of vagrancy.

Deputy Dameral has been active in running down the famous "Jim Crow" gang in East Oakland and a great deal of enmity among the members of the gang is directed toward him. He thinks that the effort to harm him while he was arresting Moore was inspired by the hatred which has been shown to him. He says that Moore is a worthless character and that to better the conditions in East Oakland he decided to arrest him.

Blaker protested against this action and interfered to the extent of striking Dameral. The constable took his prisoner to the city hall and this morning swore out a warrant for the arrest of his assailant.

PRETTY WEDDING.

A very pretty wedding ceremony was witnessed last evening by the intimate friends of the contracting parties, Robert C. and Miss Margaret Anna Crawford, at the beautiful home prepared by the bridegroom at 559 39th street, Row, J. W. Horn, of the South-Central Methodist Church, performed the ceremony, after which congratulations were offered and a sumptuous wedding dinner served. Miss Mary Embury acted as bridesmaid, while John Wisheart accompanied the bridegroom.

BRINGS A SUIT FOR A DIVORCE

Suit for divorce has been brought by Ella B. Caesar against William J. Caesar on the ground of cruelty. She states that they were married at San Jose in 1899 and have one child, Alice, five years of age of which she also asks the custody. She states that about a year ago the defendant began to treat her with great cruelty and struck and swore at her and destroyed the furniture and all the wearing apparel belonging to the plaintiff.

INJURED MAN CLEARS ACCUSED

SANTA ROSA, Feb. 13.—Louis Gondole, who was charged with cutting R. E. Fowler in front of Lombardi's saloon opposite the historical mission at Sonoma Sunday afternoon, was discharged at his preliminary examination.

DECLARES SIX MEN CARRIED OFF WIFE

David Owen called at the police station last night and insisted that six men had attempted to carry off his wife. He said they had taken her to an undertaking establishment.

ALLEGED JOINTISTS SECURE ACQUITTAL

TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 13.—Chris Maier and Charles Reynor, two of the most noted alleged jointists doing business in Kansas avenue, were acquitted today by a district court jury. This was a case brought by Assistant Attorney General Garver, and a panel of six jurors was sworn in and a verdict returned.

NEW CORPORATION.

Articles of incorporation of the Johnson-Ballard Realty Company were filed by Attorney Herbert Bred with the County Clerk this morning. The principal place of business of the concern is to be in Berkeley where it proposes to engage in a general real estate business. The capital stock of the corporation is placed at \$100,000 of which James M. Johnson has subscribed \$25,000, Merion A. Ballard \$25,000 and Albert J. Darch \$10,000 who are also the directors.

SUGAR REDUCED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—All grades of refined sugar were reduced twenty cents a hundred pounds today.

Headaches and Neuralgia from Colds. Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world wide remedy for Colds, Croup, Whooping Cough, Sore Throat, and all the ailments of the throat and lungs. For the full name and look for signature of E. W. GROVE, M.D.

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Swiss, Nainsook and Batiste Embroidery sets; a host of patterns in eyelet, floral and more conventional patterns; edging 3 to 12 inches wide; all grades, from..... 12½¢ to \$1.00 yd
Insertions 1 inch to 2 inches wide; all grades from..... 12½¢ to \$1.25

Embroidery Flouncings

Embroidery demi-flouncings for dress robes, shirt waist fronts, petticoats, etc., 12 to 18 inches wide; large floral, raised and eyelet designs; grades from..... 40¢ to \$2.00 yd
Full flouncings for dresses, 27 to 45 inches wide; many patterns entirely new; 27 inches wide; special value..... 75¢ yd
45 inches wide; special values..... \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.40 yd

Embroidery dress patterns; beautiful designs; Swiss foundations, flounced complete; sufficient embroidered bands and material for making entire waists..... \$12.50, \$15.50

Embroidered Baby Sets

Delicately embroidered sets in Swiss and Nainsook; small patterns for baby clothes; edgings 2 to 8 inches wide..... 7½¢ and all grades up to 75¢ yd
Insertings, ½ inch to 1 inch, all grades from..... 8 1-3¢ to 45¢
Baby flouncings, ruffled effects in lace, embroidery and hemstitching, 27 to 45 inches wide..... 80¢ to \$2.50 per yd

Corset Cover Embroideries

..... 25¢ to 95¢ yd

Embroidered Waist Patterns

Hand embroidered lined waist patterns, enough material for entire waist..... \$4.50, \$6.50, \$8.50 and to \$12.50
Hand embroidered batiste waist patterns..... \$2.50 to \$4.50
Fine embroidered lawn waist patterns..... \$2.00 to \$3.00

Spring Ribbon Display

A few items from a stock of ribbons that is second to none on this coast for assortment or value.

No. 40—Jacquard woven Pompadour stripe on various colored grounds..... 20¢
4-inch changeable taffeta in the best combinations..... 20¢
Neat black and white, blue and white, pink and white, green and white and red and white checks with self colored or contrasting edges..... 25¢
Warp print floral design on dark grounds, very rich effects..... 35¢
A great choice of patterns in Persian and Dresden warp prints, extra qualities..... 40¢
4-inch plain taffeta with silk embroidered dots, all colors of ribbon with self colored or contrasting dots; special..... 25¢

At from 50¢ to \$1.75—

A great line of beautiful novelties that are beyond adequate description in an ad, but well worth a visit merely for the pleasure of seeing them.
The latest fad—Tab Ribbons.
No. 5—Dresden Warp Print Taffeta..... 10¢
No. 9—Exquisitely printed floral pattern with colored edges; special..... 15¢
No. 9—Heavy Grosgrain Roman stripe Ribbon..... 15¢
A narrow ribbon with broadened dots; very desirable for edging tab ribbons..... 5¢

In Brighter, Bigger Quarters Will Be Found NEW DRESS GOODS

The popularity and patronage earned by this department has forced us to more fully recognize its claims. It will now be found facing you as you come in at the corner entrance. There will be no more lack of light for showing Dress Goods.

Plain Mohairs will be popular again this season because they give such good results for spring and summer wear; fast in color, good dust shakers, and very serviceable.

36-inch Mohair in cream, tan, gray, navy, garnet, green, brown, black..... 50¢

46-inch Mohair in navy, royal, brown, gray, black; a quality well worth 75¢ the yard..... 65¢

Better grades of English Imported Mohairs in the fine and coarse weaves, good ample colors, also the new shades of grays; 46 inches..... 75¢ yd

Best grade of English Mohair in all good colors, very high luster; 45 inch..... \$1.00 yd

New Cream Goods

The assortment of cream goods is probably as large as can be found anywhere; cream will be found very popular this season; the best time to choose is before lines are broken.
Cream Mohair Brilliantine, 38 inches..... 50¢
Cream Mohair Brilliantine, 48 inches..... 60¢
Cream Mohair Brilliantine, 45 inches..... 75¢
Cream Mohair Brilliantine, 45 inches..... 75¢, \$1.00, \$1.25
The above are all English Imported Mohairs.

MCCALL'S PATTERNS FOR MARCH.
You are waiting for you. You can not only save on the cost of the patterns, but will save goods, save labor, save time, as you'll find by a single trial. 100 and 150, none higher.

H.C. Capwell Co.
THE FINE HOUSE
1279 AND WASHINGTON STS.

NO CHANGE TO AGREE

France and Germany Are Still Very Far Apart.

BERLIN, Feb. 12.—Some exchanges of suggestions between this and other governments regarding the Algerian negotiations are proceeding, although there is really no expectation of an agreement. Both France and Germany have taken up seemingly unyielding positions. France, for a general mandate in Moroccan affairs and Germany for a combined administration by all the interested powers. The view of the German foreign office is that if France intended to insist on a paramount position in Morocco, why did she take part in the conference? If Germany should now agree to give over Morocco to France the efforts of years would be fruitless and a long period of unrest in European affairs. It is believed, would best, the issue of which no one ventures to predict.

It is likened in official quarters, however, to the period from 1866 to 1870, when the economic life of the principal continental countries was disturbed continuously by fears and rumors of war. The dissolution of the Algerian conference, while not in itself the cause of war talk, will certainly be the cause of the revival of mutual mistrust between France and Germany. Suspicion was aroused here today by the news from Lalla Marnia, province of Oran, Algeria, that the Moorish pretender, Bu Hamara, is assembling the independent tribes for a foray against towns near the Algerian frontier. As the pretender is considered to be fully controlled by the French, his activity at this moment is disquieting, as indicating that France has resumed her forward policy in Morocco.

AN INSURRECTION AT SANTO DOMINGO

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Secretary Root, before going to the cabinet meeting today, received from the Navy Department a cablegram from Commander Southard at Monte Christi to this effect:

"There is an insurrection; small force at Dajabon, twenty-four miles south of Monte Christi."
Commander Southard adds that there is no danger if the de facto government acts promptly.

AFTER EDITORS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 12.—The Council of Ministers has decided that the promulgation by newspapers of false rumors against the government, and individual officials of the army shall be punishable by two to eight months imprisonment and fines not exceeding \$150. In the event of such rumors causing an outbreak of illegal acts or disturbances among the troops the penalty will be increased to sixteen months imprisonment.

IT'S DIFFERENT Since Coffee Left.

A Wisconsin lady says of coffee: "From childhood I had been used to drinking coffee, and grew very fond of it."

"When in course of time I began to suffer from stomach and bowel troubles with accompanying headaches, pains in the chest and loss of appetite and flesh, I was slow to suspect that coffee was the cause. My sister, who had used and knew the virtues of Postum Food Coffee, persuaded me to try it. I gave up the old kind of coffee with reluctance, thinking that I would never find a hot table drink that I would relish so well."

"I was therefore most agreeably surprised to discover that Postum when properly prepared thoroughly relieved my troubles. It proved to be a rich, creamy, delicious beverage, soothing and quieting to the nerves and healthily invigorating. I also found it nutritious, as the old kind of coffee never was."

"Postum began to help me from the very beginning, and I was thus encouraged to continue its use, until, I am happy to say, it landed me safely in Wellville, where I have been for three years and where I propose to remain. I find it a glorious and happy place to be in."

"I never before had such good health as I have now. No trace of my former ailments remain. I have put on weight until I am almost 'fleshy' and my complexion has resumed the bloom of my girlhood days."

"My mother lost her life (as I can see now through coffee drinking. Her ailments were precisely the same as mine were, but no one suspected at that time that they were due to coffee, and she continued to use it, her health growing steadily worse and, at last, she died. I am glad to say, however, that I do now, she might be living to this day."

"My father was also a great coffee drinker and tobacco user, as well, and I am sorry to say, too fond of liquor. He lives with me and I have taught him to drink Postum, with the result that he uses much less tobacco and has entirely lost his appetite for strong drink, to the great improvement of his health. I feel most sincerely grateful to the discoverer of Postum Food Coffee. Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich."

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in page.

CASH OR A LITTLE AT A TIME PAYMENTS

Brass and Enamel Beds

- 1—A Handsomely enameled bed (choice of colors) makes a fine appearance... **\$7.20**
- 2—One of the best beds, for the money, on the market, nicely enameled in different colors, brass rod and knobs..... **\$5.90**
- 3—An all-brass bed with continuous 2-inch pillars; a very handsome design **\$44.00**
- 4—Another all-brass bed with bow foot and door knob vases; a \$45.00 value for..... **\$36.50**

THE OLDEST AND MOST RELIABLE FURNITURE HOUSE IN THE CITY
The J. Noonan Furniture Co.
1017-1023 MISSION ST. ABOVE SIXTH.
SAN FRANCISCO.

ENTERTAINMENT A SUCCESS

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND MEMBERS OF SOCIETY ENJOY FINE PROGRAM.

The entertainment given last evening at Maple Hall by the Prince Edward Island members of Oakland Society, Sons and Daughters of the Maritime Provinces was a decided success. Over four hundred members of the society from this city, San Francisco, Berkeley and Alameda, were present to enjoy the entertainment and renew old acquaintances.

A special feature of the evening was a number of magnificent stereoscopic views of the Grand Canyon of Arizona, and a short lecture by Frederick Prince in explanation of the same. This number was highly appreciated by the audience. Another pleasing feature which came as a great surprise to many, and inserted in the program as "The Old Arm Chair," by J. E. Henderson, was the presentation to President H. C. Tupper of a handsome Morris chair. Mr. Henderson, in his usual happy vein, made a neat speech congratulating the society on its success and the valuable aid rendered by President Tupper, after which two members produced the chair. Mr. Tupper was completely taken by surprise, but managed to thank the members for their kind remembrance.

The entertainment, concluded with the singing of "America," after which a social session was held, and congratulations showered on the Prince Edward Island members for the fine entertainment—the best in the history of the society.

The following committees were in charge:
Arrangements—M. A. McInnis, chairman; W. H. Bull, secretary; E. Towns, J. R. Kelly, George E. Aitken, D. Kay, W. V. Harrington, R. F. Munn, J. A. Campbell, W. W. Finlayson, M. A. McInnis, J. H. Williams.

Floor—A. E. McKay, chairman; J. D. McPherson, A. D. McCormack, J. D. Warren, P. G. MacIntyre.
Ladies Committee—Miss Anna McInnis, chairman; Mrs. W. B. Hibbett, Mrs. C. McInnis, Miss M. A. Cantello, Miss Annie McCarron, Mrs. J. A. Kohlmeier, Miss B. Harrington, Mrs. M. E. Harrington, Mrs. D. C. MacIntyre, Mrs. Sophie McCarron, Mrs. A. H. Gregory, Miss J. C. McInnis, Mrs. N. Day.

SUES FOR DAMAGES.

A. M. Campbell yesterday entered a suit for damages amounting to \$10,368 against the Oakland Traction Co. for injuries he alleges he sustained because of the company's negligence. Campbell says that he took the wrong electric car on November 4, 1905, and that when he tried to alight at Telegraph avenue and Twenty-first street, the car suddenly started, throwing him on his head. He alleges in the complaint filed yesterday that he bled at both ears, his spine was permanently injured, his collarbone was broken and he suffered internal injuries as well. He also states it has effected his hearing and memory.

JAMES CADOGAN CALLED TO REST

James J. Cadogan, a pioneer of Oakland for a half century, passed away yesterday at his home, 65 Eleventh street, after a four months' illness. The deceased was for many years connected prominently with the commercial life of the city, erecting the brick building on the corner of Seventh and Broadway, where Barnum's restaurant now stands, and for several years conducting a grocery store at the corner of Broadway and Twelfth street. His widow, eighty years of age, is herself in a very precarious condition.

SAN LEANDRO RATES.

SAN LEANDRO, Feb. 12.—At an adjourned meeting of the Town Trustees, last night, the ordinance establishing water rates for the ensuing year was read a second time and passed to go into effect. No changes were made in the rates which were passed at the meeting which was held last night.

"WOODLAND" IS A DRAWING CARD

EXCELLENT PLAY WELL PATRONIZED AT THE MAC.

Henry W. Savage's "Woodland" scored a hit at the Macdonough Theater last night. The house was crowded to the doors. This comic opera, which has been called a fantasy of the forest, marks an effort on the part of the well known librettist and composer to step aside from the beaten paths of composition in this line, which has been said to have been instantly and substantially successful. It has been said that these two men have accomplished more for the entertainment of the amusement loving people of this country than any other two men in their special lines. Certainly, the "Prince of Pilsen" and "King Dodo," which were also produced by Henry W. Savage, have added much to the gaiety of the American people, and now it seems that "Woodland" is contributing its share.

In "Woodland" the idea was to place two acts of a comic opera in the forest with the characters birds, and while it seemed at first a difficult task, it was accomplished. The theme had never been utilized before and the pretty story of the loves and ambitions of the bird kingdom furnished a sufficient link for connecting a series of delicious pictures against a gorgeous background of forest scenery. The charm of the piece comes mainly from the idyllic flavor that permeates the scenes, the lovely costumes and the fairyland incidents. All the characters in "Woodland" are supposed to represent birds, and the scenes are laid in the heart of a forest. The birds rule their own kingdom and have their own laws and customs, most of which are those familiar to human beings, though which borrowed from the other does.

W.H. CAMPBELL CO.
TELEPHONE OAKLAND 300

Fresh Ranch Eggs

FROM OUR "Sunny Slope Farm"

Fresh from the Farm daily.
Every Egg Selected.
Every Egg Clean and White.
Every Egg Guaranteed.
Hens fed on clean, wholesome grains.
No horse flesh or boneyard offal used for food.

20 Cts. Doz.

Twelfth and Harrison Streets

FORTRESS CLOSED

Famous Russian Prisoners Are Transferred to Siberia.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 12.—Five famous political prisoners, the last inmates of the Schlusselburg fortress, were taken from their cells last night and sent to Siberia to serve the remainder of their sentence. They were Karpovich, who killed Minister of Education Bogaleff in 1901 for forcibly enrolling student demonstrators in the army; Gershunin and Melnikoff, accomplices in the assassination of Interior Minister Sipilagine, and organizers of the fighting organization of the special revolutionists; Sasonoff, the murderer of Interior Minister von Plehve, and his accomplice, Sakorsky. The sentences have been materially ameliorated by the Emperor's amnesty decree of November last.

The frowning stronghold, the scenes of which since the reign of Catherine II, when the authors Radischeff and Novikoff were imprisoned for their liberal ideas, have always harbored political prisoners and within which most of the executions of the terrorists of late years have occurred, is now empty and the keepers have been disbanded. The walls, however, will be left standing as a show place.

To die for a woman may be brave, but the man who leads her to the altar and agrees to make a living for her is the real hero.

FAILED TO KILL

Shot Because He Was With Another Man's Wife

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—G. W. Durphy, superintendent of the Chicago Dock Company, who last night shot and wounded Daniel P. Padfield of Belleville, Ill., when he discovered the latter in the company of Mrs. Durphy, was today released in \$10,000 bonds. Mrs. Durphy is still confined in the Harrison street police station on a charge of disorderly conduct.

Padfield is in the Chicago Emergency Hospital, suffering from two bullet wounds, one just below the heart and the other in the left arm. Neither is serious.
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Eunice Padfield, the wife of D. P. Padfield, who was shot in the Grand Pacific Hotel at Chicago last night by George W. Durphy, and her six year old son, are living in Belleville, Ill., with her father, E. F. Winkler, former mayor of Belleville. Mrs. Padfield is grief-stricken. She stated today that her husband is a traveling salesman for a drug house, and is not a doctor. He left a week ago on a business trip. She does not know Mrs. Durphy.
Durphy was arraigned later in the day before Justice Clevary and obtained a continuance until February 23.

TEAMSTER SUICIDES.

MARTINEZ, Feb. 12.—P. H. Rohde, a lumber teamster, committed suicide at Black Diamond yesterday by taking strychnine. Rohde's wife knocked a bottle of poison out of his hands in his first attempt. The despondent man left the house, got a second vial and was dead in a short time. Domestic trouble is said to have been the cause. Rohde was about fifty-five years old. His widow and three children survive.

PALACE TO CHURCH

Remains of King Now Lie in State in House of Worship.

COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Feb. 12.—The coffin containing the body of King Christian was removed today from the palace to the Christianborg church, where it will lie in state until February 15.

The crown prince and other members of the royal family, the court officials and army and navy officers followed the hearse on foot through the crowd-lined streets. After a brief service at the church the royal party returned to the palace, leaving the body in charge of a guard of army and navy officers, who will remain day and night stationed at the head and foot of the catafalque.

The public will be admitted to the church at stated hours daily.
Hours before the church was opened the vicinity was densely thronged with those desirous of paying their last respects to the body of the old monarch. The line from the church door was fully a mile long and constantly lengthening when the doors were opened to the public, and thousands passed the bier during the subsequent two hours. The German minister during the morning placed two enormous floral tributes from Emperor William at the foot of the catafalque.

When wise thieves fall out they proceed to plant their graft before getting themselves investigated by a legislative committee.

BILL TO PUNISH HUSBANDS

Whipping Post Defeated in House by 155 to 57.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Ripple of interest was manifested when Mr. Bacon, in the House, at 2 o'clock, called up the bill to punish with thirty lashes wife-beaters in the District of Columbia. Mr. Adams of Pennsylvania, in favor of the bill, was heard thirty minutes. At once he was importuned to yield to questions, but positively declined to be interrupted and began with a rebuke because of the levity with which the subject had been treated. He said President Roosevelt and the District officials were in sympathy with the bill and it was only those possessed with the character of "maudlin sentiment which sent flowers to the criminal's cell who opposed it."

The chief of police of Washington, he said, had reported 503 wife beatings in the past two years. Adequate punishment, he said, should be provided. Mr. Adams said he did not advocate the whipping post as it existed in Delaware.

Mr. Stevens of Texas interjected the query if the bill was not a "legislative joke." Mr. Adams replied: "Oh, I mean in Baltimore." (Laughter.) Mr. Sims of Tennessee, opposing the bill, predicted that it would get one vote only in the House. The President, he said, had advocated increased punishment for wife-beaters, adding:

"But he is a year older now and his last message said nothing about it." He made the further point that the report of the local chief of police indicated that common law wife beatings were "receiving most of the beatings."

"Someone has suggested we amend the bill to apply to wife chasers," he declared further. "I don't know whom that would hit." (Laughter.)

The whipping post bill was defeated by being "laid upon the table" by a vote of 155 to 57.

STEAMER TEXAN ON FIRE

HONOLULU, Feb. 13.—Fire was discovered yesterday between the decks of the Hawaiian-American Company's steamer Texan, which arrived on Saturday from Puget Sound, and is lying at a wharf here. Steam has been pumped into the hold through hatch No. 2 ever since the fire broke out, but without result. It probably will be necessary to flood the entire compartment with water. The vessel's cargo includes a thousand barrels of lime and a quantity of shingles. The damage will be considerable and will cause delay, though it is not thought that the vessel is in serious danger.

WESTERN PACIFIC'S WORK IS STOPPED

OROVILLE, Feb. 13.—A suit for damages was filed in the Superior Court Saturday by the Golden State Power Company against the Western Pacific Railway, the complaint alleging that the Western Pacific Company and the Utah Construction Company and others have entered upon plaintiff's land, consisting of 2536 acres in the canyon of the North Fork of the Feather river, and cut and up the soil, and cut and removed timber, etc.

W. C. T. U. PLAN TO HAVE CONTEST

East Oakland and Alameda W. C. T. U. held a joint meeting Friday afternoon, at Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, for deciding preliminaries in regard to an institute, and matron's silver medal contest, to be held by the two unions, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 20 and 21. Mrs. S. M. Woodman, president of Alameda County W. C. T. U., was present to formulate the programs. The institute will be held in East Oakland, place to be decided upon later. Interesting programs will be presented to the public at these meetings.

GIVEN EIGHT YEARS IN PRISON

SAN JOSE, Feb. 13.—Ng Gee Duck, one of several Chinamen and white men convicted of assault on the young Davis girl several weeks ago, was sentenced this morning to eight years in the State prison at San Quentin.

TWO BOYS SENT TO INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

SAN JOSE, Feb. 13.—Joe Felles and Lell Chaboya, boys found guilty of burglary, were sentenced this morning to Preston Industrial School to remain until they are each 21 years old.

BUNKERS IS AGAIN ON STAND

Testifies in Trial of Frank French for Taking Bribe.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—Trial of Frank French of San Francisco, indicted by the Grand Jury of this county for accepting a bribe while a member of the legislature, was resumed today. A jury was secured about two weeks ago, but after the trial had progressed several days one of the jurors was taken ill and was excused. The prosecution stood upon its right to have a new jury and for over a week talesmen were examined. A jury was secured last Friday and an adjournment taken until today.

District Attorney A. M. Seymour made the opening statement for the prosecution, declaring he would prove that French, with Emmons, Wright and Bunkers conspired to blackmail building and loan associations and received \$3500 bribe money in this connection. The morning session was devoid of interest. Harry Bunkers, who is now serving a five years' sentence for his participation in the bootlegging, took the witness stand. His testimony on direct examination was identical to the same as that given a fortnight ago before the jury originally drawn to try the case.

WOMEN ELECT THEIR NEW OFFICERS

BALTIMORE, Feb. 13.—At the woman suffrage convention today the following general officers were re-elected: Honorary president, Susan B. Anthony, Rochester, N. Y.; president, Rev. Anna Howard Shaw, Philadelphia; vice-president at large, Florence Kelley, New York City; corresponding secretary, Kate H. Gordon, New Orleans; recording secretary, Alice Stone Blackwell, Boston; treasurer, Harriet Taylor Upton, Warren, Ohio; auditor, Dr. Annie Jeffreys Myers, Portland, Or.

RUNAWAY COUPLE SEEK TO MARRY

There is a runaway couple from Sacramento that the authorities are attempting to intercept before a marriage is contracted between them. The following telegram was received by County Clerk Cook this morning:

"SACRAMENTO, Cal., Feb. 12, 1906.—County Clerk, Alameda Co.: I, Frank Egan, apply for marriage license. Please issue. Notify me. Under age. —A. M. Seymour, District Attorney."

CLOTHING AND MONEY IS STOLEN

George G. Orr, residing at 400 Lake Shore avenue, reported to the police this morning that his residence was entered last night during the family's absence, and \$14 in cash stolen, besides several articles of wearing apparel. An entrance was effected by forcing the back door.

FRIENDS WERE PLACED IN PRISON

George Jambrin was arrested by Policeman Johnson last night on a charge of drunkenness. He was taken to the City Hall, where he was booked. Two friends, H. Poulter and Thomas Durning, who attempted to bail him out, were also placed under arrest. Police Judge Samuels continued the case this morning until tomorrow. In order to investigate the matter thoroughly.

STOLE MONEY FROM HIS RESIDENCE

SAN JOSE, Feb. 13.—L. Hutchinson reported to the sheriff's office this morning that yesterday afternoon some person entered his residence at Mountain View and stole \$175. The sheriff is investigating.

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He Grabs Her By the Throat and Then Gets Away With Purse Containing Money.

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Miss Erro was returning from an evening's visit with her sister when she fell a victim to the highwayman. She left her sister at Powell and Jackson streets, and started to walk home.

"As I approached Mr. Bibb's house," said the girl in describing her terrifying experiences this morning, "I had a feeling that some one was following me. I walked hurriedly and had barely reached the steps

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

TO GRAND JURY

Rev. Whitaker's Charges Go to the County Censors.

The committee of the whole of the City Council met last night and shelved the resolution introduced by Councilman Fitzgerald calling for an expert to investigate the various offices of the city relative to alleged "graft." The pay for which service was to be fifty per cent of the saving that would be effected by the discovery of any graft.

The request that the Grand Jury investigate the City Council to put an end to the agitation started by the Rev. Robert Whitaker, was renewed.

Councilman Burns stated that he wanted the Grand Jury to come at any time. He said:

"I do not think the resolution just read is the proper way to get at this thing. The Grand Jury should call on us and expose the graft if there be any. I wish there was some way of shaking something out of Rev. Whitaker."

Councilman Pendleton—"How could you?"

The motion to lay the Fitzgerald resolution on the table indefinitely was made by Councilman Bacon and seconded by Councilman Altier.

It was unanimously carried, but the eagerness of the Councilmen to be investigated was not shelved.

"I would like to know," asked Burns after the motion had been put, if the Grand Jury had received a written communication.

Councilman Elliot—"What are you looking for an indictment?"

Councilman Burns—"Well, I want action of some kind."

Clark Thompson—"The Grand Jury received a letter from this office notifying them of the desire of the Council to be investigated."

There was some further desultory discussion but nothing definite was done.

TO RAISE MONEY FOR DRINKING FOUNTAIN

Oakland, Feb. 13, 1905.

EDITOR TRIBUNE: I wish I could have the studios of the sculptors in Oakland taken with me when I visited San Francisco, whither I went in search of knowledge. I wanted to learn of those most capable of imparting that knowledge—what would be considered a really artistic design for a drinking fountain that would be becoming to the dignity of our city.

The attempts of the Woman's Civic Club to awaken civic pride in Oakland has caused a violent spasm of criticism for which the club is grateful. We consider it a sign of returning life and like the pagans we might almost wish to "have a sight of Proteus rising from the sea; or hear old Triton blow his wreathed horn," rather than this settled indifference which makes our city appear to be behind other cities less favored by natural setting.

I found in one studio in San Francisco a beautiful design for a drinking fountain that is to cost \$15,000, to be erected in a small town in Humboldt County by one of her public spirited citizens.

In an Oakland studio, I found Douglas Tilden modeling a magnificent statue of Junipero Serra. The order comes from San Francisco, where civic pride prompts her citizens to spend \$10,000 in this one piece of bronze and stone that our children may have an object lesson that inspires to holy living.

I also learn that Santa Barbara, with only half the population of our city, has raised by public subscription \$30,000 for a public drinking fountain, and as I studied the design to be built of Colusa sandstone, I resolved that the Civic Improvement Club must redouble its efforts and lead, not follow, in the work of beautifying our various beach towns.

The Woman's Civic Club will continue its efforts to raise the necessary amount of money, an amount that will do credit to the city of Oakland and its citizens.

Already a part of the money has been subscribed and we hope to be able to report a sufficient amount on hand in the very near future.

MRS. CLARISSA MORRIS, President Woman's Civic Club.

MANY ELKS ARE IN THE SOUTH

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 13.—Two of the four special trains carrying members of the Order of Elks from Salt Lake and the Intermountain States arrived yesterday over the Salt Lake road. The other two trains, being delayed by the wreck of a freight train near Caliente, Utah, did not get in until late at night. There are about 700 members of the party, including a number of ladies, wives and children of Elks. They were given a reception by Los Angeles Elks and by the Chamber of Commerce in the Chamber of Commerce building last night. The address of welcome was made by Frederick W. Harris, the actor. The headquarters of the visitors is at the New Alexandria Hotel. The Utah party is under the command of Exalted Ruler G. R. Cleveland. Today the party is being taken on a trip to the beach towns on Wednesday to Mount Lowe and on Wednesday night the Elks of Los Angeles will entertain all visiting members at their lodge hall. The party will remain intact until next Friday, when many of the visitors will return home.

WANT STATE FARM.

MARTINEZ, Feb. 13.—Landowners are busy raising a subscription toward the purchase price of a State farm site. More than \$15,000 of the necessary \$25,000 has been subscribed. A. W. Mathey of Danville leads the list with \$2,000. The ranchers feel much encouraged by Professor E. J. Wickson's report to the State Farm Commission which has given much attention to a 300-acre site in Ygnacio Valley, composed of area from the Clark, Laykey, Burgess and Hook ranches.

WATER RATES

City Council Will Discuss the Issue Friday Night.

The City Council met as a committee of the whole last night to consider fixing water rates for the next fiscal year, beginning July 1. As there had not been sufficient notification to the Contra Costa Water Company to permit it to have its engineers and books present, next Friday evening was agreed on as the time for the real beginning of the fixing of water rates.

At that time the Contra Costa Water Company will submit a list of its properties for rate fixing purposes, accompanied with proof, either oral or documentary, relative to the values.

Councilman Thurston was chosen chairman last night. He stated the purpose for which the meeting was called was to begin the fixing of water rates as is commanded by law.

Councilman Pendleton—I see that Attorney Chapman, representing the water company, is here. I would like to ask him if he is ready to proceed.

Attorney Chapman—"We were not notified until 2 o'clock this afternoon. We will, however, be ready at any future time that this Council may name."

Councilman Pendleton—"Will you have your engineer here, say Friday?"

Attorney Chapman—"We will have our engineer here."

Councilman Elliot—"If we could decide upon some definite mode of procedure there would be a lot of time saved. Last year I remember that we lost three days before we really got into action. I would suggest that the Contra Costa Water Company bring its engineers and books here and present their side of the case. We do, at any rate, need a system."

Councilman Pendleton—"What we want are facts. I do not believe that this investigation should be tied up by technical legal niceties."

Chairman Thurston—"We have the report of the Contra Costa Water Company here; that is one statement of fact."

Attorney Chapman—"If we are to start this investigation as Councilman Elliot suggests I suppose that we would be allowed to put in the evidence in our own way. We are ready to take up the in-

vestigation anywhere. We will take it up in the middle and work to both ends, or will begin at the ends and work to the middle. It will be like a water pipe. If we are going to follow the same course of procedure as we did last time. If we do, it is apt to take weeks, and not days; to fix the value of the Oakland division, which is approximately \$12,000,000.

Councilman Meese—"I do not think that we should invite the engineers and bookkeepers on the same evening."

Councilman Elliot—"Last time we made three or four ineffectual starts. If we are going to do the same thing this time I give notice now that I will remain away for the first few evenings until things get fairly under way. I would suggest that the Contra Costa Water Company provide us with a tabulated list of its properties which I will take to the water rates committee. It took us four days to get that last time. We can begin with it at once if Mr. Chapman will have the list here next Friday night."

Councilman Pendleton—"Will you have that list ready for us?"

Attorney Chapman—"That involves a good deal of typewriting."

Chairman Thurston—"Will you send a copy to the City Clerk so that he may make copies?"

Attorney Chapman—"We will make the copies and supply all of the Councilmen with a copy."

Councilman Elliot—"After you have given us the lists of property will you prove up values?"

Attorney Chapman—"Certainly. We will introduce what documentary evidence and oral evidence is necessary."

It was then moved that the committee adjourn until Friday evening, when the taking of testimony will be begun.

CREDITORS MEET TO TAKE ACTION

SANTA ROSA, Feb. 13.—The local creditors of the Occidental Hotel under the management of Lessee George W. Wilson Jr., who left for the East last week after transferring his interest in the hotel to the Occidental Hotel Company, met here yesterday afternoon to take some action to protect themselves.

There were butchers, grocers, livermen, laundrymen, oil and tobacco dealers, gas and water company officials, representing about \$1400, present at the meeting. It was decided to assign all claims for collection to an attorney with instructions to press the corporation into insolvency unless the claims were settled within the limit allowed by law. It was reported that a meeting of San Francisco creditors, with claims amounting to \$1800, was in session; and steps were taken to act jointly with them in all matters affecting a settlement.

TENNESSEE'S TRIP.

BOSTON, Feb. 13.—The new armored cruiser Tennessee made an unofficial speed of 22.16 knots on her speed trial yesterday, according to the report of one of the trial board. There was a slight accident in the course of the trial, which was repaired, but which resulted in a delay of several hours. The speed is 18 of a knot in excess of the contract requirements.

SAN LEANDRO AND HAYWARDS TO UNITE IN GRAND DEMONSTRATION.

SAN LEANDRO, Feb. 13.—At the meeting of the Board of Trade last evening the following persons were nominated by the president for the additional members of the board of directors with the audience: A. A. Rodgers, George Clark, Charles Coleman, H. H. Clark, P. M. Wells, Principal Lincoln of the San Leandro school.

A communication was received from the Estadio Parlor, N. S. G. W., asking the Board of Trade to appoint a committee of five to act with like committees from the Board of Town Trustees and from Estadio Parlor to arrange for the Fourth of July celebration of Haywards and San Leandro, to be held this year at San Leandro. President Locke will appoint a committee from the Board of Trade a few days.

The committee on high school recommended in favor of the establishment of a high school at San Leandro. The committee will take steps in the next week or two to determine what action has been taken to secure high school privileges for the people of San Leandro district, and to create a high school or to declare for the benefits of membership in District No. 4.

OBJECT TO BILL.

A communication was received from the California Fruit Growers' Association asking the board to appoint a committee to act with the association in opposing the Heyburn pure food bill, now before Congress, and to oppose other bill drawn by the National Pure Food Manufacturing Association.

The Oakland Traction Company was requested to determine what action has been taken to secure high school privileges for the people of San Leandro district, and to create a high school or to declare for the benefits of membership in District No. 4.

The matter of an exhibit of products from an account of the State Board of Trade was informally talked over, but no action was taken. It is understood that there is space reserved in the Alameda county fairgrounds for the products of San Leandro, but that there is at present no such exhibit there, and an effort will undoubtedly be made to make an exhibit. The secretary of the board was allowed an assistant.

MRS. HALL WANTS TO SECURE A DIVORCE

RENO, Feb. 13.—Mrs. Herbert E. Hall has instituted divorce proceedings against Dr. Herbert E. Hall, who is charged with extreme cruelty and desertion. The couple were married in this city last November, one day after Dr. Hall had secured a divorce from his former wife. Dr. Hall left this city last night for Butte, Mont., and started in using Grape-Nuts. His first statement out and keep the letters Y-I-O-Grape-Nuts before you and when you write your letter you will have some reason to write on the subject "Why I Owe Grape-Nuts."

Remember 331 persons will win prizes which will be awarded in an exact and just manner as soon as the list can be counted after April 30, 1906. Every contestant will be sent a printed list of names and addresses of winners on application, in order to have proof that the prizes are sent as agreed. The company is well known all over the world for absolute fidelity to its agreements and every single one of the 331 winners may depend on receiving the prize won.

Many persons might feel it useless to contest, but when one remembers the great number of prizes—(331)—the curiosity of seeing how many words can really be made up evening after evening and the good, natural fun and education in the competition, it seems worth the trial; there is no cost, nothing to lose and a fine opportunity to win one of the many boxes of gold or greenbacks.

We make the prediction that some who win a prize of gold or greenbacks will also win back health and strength worth more to them than a wagon full of money prizes.

There are no preliminaries, cut out this statement and go at it, and send in the list and letter before April 30, 1906, to Gustav C. Ebert, Publisher, Ltd., 126 E. Creek, Mich. and let your name and address be plainly written.

PEOPLE WILL NOT TAKE WATER WORKS

PORTERVILLE, Feb. 13.—On the proposition of incurring a bonded indebtedness of \$50,000 to acquire the water system owned and operated by the Porterville Water Works, the people of this city refused to vote the bonds by a plurality of five votes. A two-thirds vote was necessary to carry the proposition. It was intended to operate the plant under municipal ownership. The Porterville Water Works, owned by the bonded water works, had offered to sell it over to the city for \$50,000, hence the election. Previously the city had endeavored to fix the valuation of the water works, but was enjoined from doing by the United States Circuit Court at the instance of the pioneer company.

LOCAL OPTION

City Attorney Was Not Ready to Give His Opinion.

The question of local option which was to have come up before the City Council for consideration last night, was put over to February 26, owing to the fact that the opinion of the City Attorney in regard to the matter was not yet ready.

Assistant City Attorney O'Brien, in reply to a question, said:

"We were not aware that the consideration of this matter was to come up to night, and the opinion of the City Attorney is not prepared. It, however, will be ready at the next meeting of the Council."

Councilman Meese—I move that the matter be put over until February 26, which was adopted.

Councilman Elliot—I think the matter should go over until some definite date so that those interested in the matter can know when to look for it to come up again.

Councilman Meese then moved that the matter be put over until February 26, which was adopted.

WILL CELEBRATE JULY 4

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The Oakland Traction Company was requested to determine what action has been taken to secure high school privileges for the people of San Leandro district, and to create a high school or to declare for the benefits of membership in District No. 4.

The matter of an exhibit of products from an account of the State Board of Trade was informally talked over, but no action was taken. It is understood that there is space reserved in the Alameda county fairgrounds for the products of San Leandro, but that there is at present no such exhibit there, and an effort will undoubtedly be made to make an exhibit. The secretary of the board was allowed an assistant.

MRS. HALL WANTS TO SECURE A DIVORCE

RENO, Feb. 13.—Mrs. Herbert E. Hall has instituted divorce proceedings against Dr. Herbert E. Hall, who is charged with extreme cruelty and desertion. The couple were married in this city last November, one day after Dr. Hall had secured a divorce from his former wife. Dr. Hall left this city last night for Butte, Mont., and started in using Grape-Nuts. His first statement out and keep the letters Y-I-O-Grape-Nuts before you and when you write your letter you will have some reason to write on the subject "Why I Owe Grape-Nuts."

Remember 331 persons will win prizes which will be awarded in an exact and just manner as soon as the list can be counted after April 30, 1906. Every contestant will be sent a printed list of names and addresses of winners on application, in order to have proof that the prizes are sent as agreed. The company is well known all over the world for absolute fidelity to its agreements and every single one of the 331 winners may depend on receiving the prize won.

Many persons might feel it useless to contest, but when one remembers the great number of prizes—(331)—the curiosity of seeing how many words can really be made up evening after evening and the good, natural fun and education in the competition, it seems worth the trial; there is no cost, nothing to lose and a fine opportunity to win one of the many boxes of gold or greenbacks.

We make the prediction that some who win a prize of gold or greenbacks will also win back health and strength worth more to them than a wagon full of money prizes.

There are no preliminaries, cut out this statement and go at it, and send in the list and letter before April 30, 1906, to Gustav C. Ebert, Publisher, Ltd., 126 E. Creek, Mich. and let your name and address be plainly written.

PEOPLE WILL NOT TAKE WATER WORKS

PORTERVILLE, Feb. 13.—On the proposition of incurring a bonded indebtedness of \$50,000 to acquire the water system owned and operated by the Porterville Water Works, the people of this city refused to vote the bonds by a plurality of five votes. A two-thirds vote was necessary to carry the proposition. It was intended to operate the plant under municipal ownership. The Porterville Water Works, owned by the bonded water works, had offered to sell it over to the city for \$50,000, hence the election. Previously the city had endeavored to fix the valuation of the water works, but was enjoined from doing by the United States Circuit Court at the instance of the pioneer company.

SEWER BONDS

Could Not Take Up Without Presence of Engineer.

Owing to the absence of the City Engineer at the Council meeting last night, the plans prepared by him for the proposed improvement of the city sewer system, for which a bond issue of \$489,000 is being considered, was not taken up. The plans were on hand but in speaking on the matter Councilman Burns said:

Mr. Chairman, I for one am not prepared to take up this matter until I have some one here to explain these plans. There are nothing to me as they stand."

Councilman Altier—"I move you, Mr. Chairman, that the City Engineer be requested to attend every meeting of this Council."

Chairman Thurston—I fancy that your motion would have to be made at a regular meeting of the Council. This is only a committee meeting.

Councilman Elliot—I think, Mr. Chairman, that the City Engineer should be requested to attend every meeting of the water-rate question.

The matter went over until the next meeting of the Council.

According to the plans submitted it is proposed to bond the city to the sum of \$489,000 to be divided as follows: Main lake sewer, \$37,000; East side sewer, \$40,000; Twelfth avenue sewer, \$60,000; Fourth avenue sewer, \$16,000; Broadway street sewer, \$10,000; Food street sewer, \$26,000; Fourteenth avenue sewer, \$5,000; Forty-fifth street sewer, \$14,000; Clarendon street sewer, \$10,000; Adeline street, \$20,000; Second and Oak streets sewer, \$33,000; Second and Webster streets, \$27,000; Second and Grove streets, \$40,000; Third and Linden streets, \$25,000; Market street, \$25,000; and the Cemetery creek sewer, \$7,000, making a total of \$489,000.

CLEVER DRAMA AT YE LIBERTY

"BY RIGHT OF SWORD" IS A GOOD DRAWING CARD.

"By Right of the Sword," Ralph Stuart's great New York success, was given its first stock production at Ye Liberty Playhouse last night, drawing a large crowd. The play is well staged, the scenic effects being specially good. Popular Frank Underwood scored another success in his impersonation of Richard Hamilton. He is a conscientious and painstaking actor. Amelia Gardner gave a winning portrayal of Olga Petrovitch, looking the part, and acting it with the womanly grace that captured the audience. Mrs. Humphreys does good work as Major Devinski, the villain. Herr Weber, in the hands of John Barr, receives an excellent portrayal. Frank Bacon, as Bennett, furnishes most of the comedy, and is well received.

Frank MacVickers, John D. O'Hara, David Graham, George F. Friend, Marie Gordon, Reginald Travers, Harry West, Maurice Stewart, and James Gleason have important parts in the scenes of this drama are laid in Russia, and the hero is a young American, Richard Hamilton, who visits Moscow in search of variety and excitement. On the first evening of his arrival, at a military ball, he is mistaken for an abducting Russian. Olga Petrovitch, a beautiful and brilliant actress, is the daughter of a Russian nobleman. The likeness is so remarkable that it momentarily deceives the officer's sister, Olga Petrovitch, who is persecuted by a sinister schemer, Major Devinski. Learning that she needs his protection, young Hamilton chivalrously proposes to impede the villain's plans by making himself Divinsky in a ruffian duel with the villain. Later he saves the life of the czar from an attack of nihilism, of which Devinski is a leader. A military court-martial straightens out matters. "By Right of the Sword" will be the attraction for the entire week.

ELECTED DIRECTOR IN FAR NORTH

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 13.—From the far Northwest Territory, far across the Canadian border, comes the news of additional honors bestowed upon a Santa Monica girl, who a year or more ago became famous as the winner of first prize in a New York contest for the most perfectly formed woman in the country. This girl was then Miss Emma Newkirk. But she went to Alaska to marry Edward Willis, who had made a fortune in the mines. Now she has been elected a director of a school district which embraces several hundred square miles of King Edward's domain.

The End of the World.

The troubles that robbed E. J. Wolfe of Bear River, Ia., of all usefulness came when he began taking Electric Bitters. He writes: "Two years ago kidney trouble caused me great suffering which I would never have survived had I not taken Electric Bitters. They cured me of Stomach, Liver and Kidney complaints, Blood Diseases, Headache, Dizziness and Weakness, and bodily debility. Price 50c. Guaranteed by J. C. Rogers' drug stores, corner Twelfth and Washington streets and Seventh and Broadway."

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POINT LOBOS, Feb. 12, 10 P. M.—Weather cloudy; wind southeast, velocity 10 miles.

U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY.

Times and Heights of High and Low Waters at Fort Point, entrance to San Francisco Bay. By official authority of the Superintendent.

The high and low waters occur at the city front (Mission-street wharf) about twenty-five minutes later than at Fort Point; the height of tides is the same at both places.

FEBRUARY 13 to 19.					
Date	H.W.	L.W.	H.W.	L.W.	H.W.
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
13	2:30	5:1	8:28	1:8	2:37
14	2:37	5:1	8:28	1:8	2:37
15	2:51	5:10	8:27	1:3	2:40
16	3:41	5:21	8:26	1:3	2:41
17	4:41	5:31	8:25	1:3	2:41
18	5:41	5:41	8:24	1:3	2:41
19	6:41	5:41	8:23	1:3	2:41

NOTE.—In the above tabulation of tides the daily tides are given in the order of their occurrence, commencing with the early morning tide in the left-hand tide column, and the succeeding tides as they occur, the usual fourth tide occurring the following morning.

The column of heights gives the elevation of each tide above or below the plane of Coast Survey Chart sounding. The numbers are always additive to the chart depths unless preceded by the minus sign or dash (—), when the numbers are subtractive from depths given on the chart.

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Sun rises—7:03 Sun sets—6:46

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Facts About Poultry Raising.

A number of California newspapers quite frequently expatiate on the large profits that may be derived from poultry raising. There is danger of such articles misleading the inexperienced. Poultry raising in California is a very profitable industry if rightly managed and conducted with a fair knowledge of the business, but it is no child's play and is not a pursuit for the dilettante and indolent. To make a success of poultry raising one must devote close attention to business, study the habits and nature of fowls and watch the markets closely—in other words, must possess thrift, industry and a knowledge of business principles. Attention to hygiene is the first requisite of a poultry farm. Fowls must be kept healthy and properly fed, else they will neither breed nor lay; they will die rapidly or be unfit for the table at the very time they should be marketable. In raising chickens and eggs for the market, success depends primarily on breeding choice fowls specially for whatever purpose desired. The stock must be kept bred up, and table birds must be fattened and got to market with the least possible delay. The younger they can be got to market in condition for the less it will cost to breed and fatten them and the better they will sell. Also, the profit will be larger than if they are kept and fed longer. Young chicks will die off if the coops, pens and yards are unclean or become vermin infected; hens will not lay under such conditions and fowls intended for the table will not fatten. These facts should be impressed upon every person who intends to embark in the business of poultry raising. People should know in advance that it is not the pursuit for a trifling man, an idler or lack-brain. There is a large and sure profit in breeding poultry for those whose understanding the business and will give it close and intelligent attention, but it promises only disaster to those who are ignorant and too dull to learn or who expect a chicken ranch will take care of itself. It is all very well to say there is money in chickens, but it needs also to be said that it is only to be obtained by diligent and intelligent application. This fact is often illustrated by the spectacle of success and failure side by side. Let no man embark in the business of poultry raising unless he is willing to study it and work at it.

The Sacramento Union recently stated editorially that the newspaper writers of Oakland had made an agreement to make no mention of the McNulty case. This statement has been repeated by the Reno Gazette and other journals. It is absolutely false. The facts were not published until they were ascertained. There were rumors flying around for two or three days after the assault on Miss Olsen, but verification did not develop till some four days after the assault had been committed. For reasons obvious to any person with moral perception and an appreciation of the responsibilities of journalism an unverified charge so serious as rape was not printed till there was some tangible basis for it. Apparently the Sacramento Union is trying to establish a reputation for virtue by long range attacks on things outside its own reading and advertising constituency. If it were so minded it could find plenty of evils to abate within gunshot of its editorial rooms. It is noteworthy, however, that all its moral crusades are conducted on the long distance plan—a cheap way of posing as an exemplar of all the virtues while loftily ignoring the duties it owes to its own immediate constituency. But what's the use of having a bother about it? There are too many painted frauds in the world to waste breath over one wheezy old fake.

The Los Angeles Herald gives a number of alleged reasons why the Democrats can win in the coming State election. It fails, however, to give a single reason why they should win.

Some unfavorable comment has been made because the widow of Charles T. Yerkes remarried one month after her husband's death. She only offended against the conventions of society, not against the memory of Yerkes. She owed him neither affection nor respect. He had not lived with her as a husband for years, and his life was one of open and notorious infidelity to his marriage vows. Just before his death he effected a reconciliation with her on a business basis, and for business purposes alone. He did not want her to contest the provisions of his will, which gave her less than was hers by law. There was no resumption of marital relations and the part played by Yerkes in the transaction—for it was nothing else—shows that he was only making a deal by which he got the better of his wife, as he got the better of everybody else. As a husband he had been dead to her for years—why should she play the hypocritical role of a widow mourning the loss of a man she loathed and whose manner of life heaped outrage on her wifely dignity?

Secretary Taft is a good man, weighing three hundred pounds, but the gray wolves of the Senate are giving him the time of his life.

The duty on cheap shoes into the Philippines is to be reduced "in order to encourage the wearing of shoes in the islands." Why should the wearing of shoes be encouraged in a climate where shoes are not needed?—Fresno Republican.

Why should neckties be worn in any climate when they are neither useful nor convenient? We wear many articles of apparel for which there is no rational need. And really it does not appear that the habit of wearing shoes is either vicious or revolutionary. Perhaps our Fresno contemporary may deem it ungrammatical or injurious to the understanding. However, unless he makes out a better case than he has yet done we shall be inclined to view with favor the pursuit of the American flag by the American shoe. It is our duty to teach the Filipinos the habits of civilization, and it is vastly better that we should sell them shoes than to sell them rum and patent medicines.

The Wall Street Summary prints some remarkable statistics showing the extraordinary strides the Southern States are making toward financial independence. The number of national banks in the Southern States in 1905 is given as 1221, as against 220 in 1880. This is a gain of 455 per cent, while for the same period the gain in capital was from \$46,000,000 to \$126,000,000, an increase of 176 per cent. During the same period the bank surplus increased from \$9,000,000 to \$50,000,000, a gain of 458 per cent, while deposits increased from \$65,000,000 to \$169,000,000. Undivided profits grew from less than \$4,000,000 in 1880 to approximately \$27,000,000 in 1905, a gain of 675 per cent. In this summary State and private banks and trust companies, which figure more largely in the South than in other sections of the Union, are not included. It is stated their increase in capital and deposits has been relatively larger than even the phenomenal increases in number and resources shown by the national banks. Here is another evidence that the South has fully recovered from the effects of the Civil War.

The observant traveler who has a half day to spare and wants to see what's doing should stop off and watch Oakland grow. Those who haven't time for a stopover can get an idea of what a move on there is in this city by reading the real estate columns of THE TRIBUNE. The record of real estate sales and building improvements makes an interesting story.

Why This Neglect of Duty?

Chief of Police Wilson obstinately refuses to do his duty in regard to enforcing the ordinance forbidding obstruction of the sidewalks, which is flagrantly violated by one firm in particular on Fourteenth street. Each night this firm blocks the sidewalk in front of their premises with a large number of vehicles, leaving a narrow pathway between for the use of pedestrians. Last night this firm had fourteen vehicles on the sidewalk and street in defiance of the law. Residents of the lakeside district complain of the nuisance in vain—the Chief of Police will do nothing. His refusal to protect the public from this persistent invasion of their rights should be called to the official attention of the Police and Fire Commissioners and the City Council. The question of whether the influence of a single firm is stronger than the mandates of law and public right is one that should be tried out. While THE TRIBUNE entertains only the kindest feelings for Chief Wilson and the firm alluded to, it is resolved to see the interests of the public protected or learn the reason why.

"What has become of the Pembroke case? Is it a case of wait until public feeling cools and public forgetfulness dusts over the record?"

These queries are addressed to THE TRIBUNE by a subscriber. As we understand it, the Pembroke case is on the calendar for a speedy trial, and we have no reason to suppose there is any effort being made to stave off proceedings. Our correspondent must admit that Pembroke and his associates were brought to trial with great dispatch, with remarkable celerity, indeed, when the crowded condition of the Superior Court calendar is considered. When there was a mistrial in the Pembroke case, it was but natural that other cases pending should be given right of way. So far as we can see there has been no lack of diligence in the Pembroke case.

The action of the Board of Supervisors in ordering the erection of a new county jail is commendable from every point of view. The present jail is a relic of a past era—obsolete, unsafe and unsanitary. It has recently been condemned by the State Board of Charities and Corrections because it compels the Sheriff to continually violate the laws of the State and as being generally an unwholesome and unfit place for the confinement of prisoners. The new jail will be constructed in accordance with suggestions made by the Board of Charities and Corrections, and will in all respects meet the requirements of a modern jail. The architect selected by the board to draw the plans and superintend the construction is W. J. Miller, a member of the San Francisco Chapter of the National Association of Architects, and is well known in Oakland. His character and standing in his profession warrant the confidence reposed in him by the Supervisors, and assure the public that the new jail will be erected with due diligence and economy.

The W. C. T. U. has protested against the Ohio delegation in Congress giving Miss Roosevelt a loving cup as a wedding present. It is believed by the W. C. T. U. that a loving cup is another name for a punch bowl which may some time be filled with intoxicants. Dear, dear, but these temperance ladies do go far afield in search of trouble. Their methods of reform take such eccentric turns that one is at a loss whether to laugh or cry at the exhibitions of folly. It is to be presumed that the ladies have little to do at home or they would not have so much time to spend attending to the business of their neighbors.

GENESIS OF PUBLIC OWNERSHIP IDEA.

The demand for municipal ownership is caused not so much by the merits of public ownership as by the abuses of private ownership. It is only where these abuses have become so intolerable as to be no longer borne that public anger has traversed business judgment in its demand for relief. The time has come when the magnates who have bestrode our American cities like a Colossus should see that their contempt of public rights and their defiance of public indignation will lead to serious consequences if there is not an immediate amendment of both their manners and their methods.—Minneapolis Journal.

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Amid the fragrant leas.

The perfume rising heaven high
Upon the zephyr's breast,
Is sweeter than the blossoms fair,
That busy bees love best.

The branches bear delightful fruit,
So rosy red in hue,
That blushes overspread the face
That comes the scene to view.

For tender hearts are growing there,
Upon each bending limb;
The music of the rustling leaves,
Their sweetest praises hymn.

The guardian of that sacred spot
Is Cupid with his bow;
His golden arrows pierce the air,
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With ribbons new, he binds them fast
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QUAKER REFLECTIONS.

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—Indianaapolis Star.

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LUNCHEON TODAY AT THE EBELL GIRL IS HELD JILTS WOMAN GIRL OBJECTS TO TOWN TOPICS AND LOSES JOB

Wedding News and Engagements--
Madame Barry's Recital--
Society Events.

Ebell members and their guests enjoyed a delightful hour today at the regular luncheon, and the assembly was one of the prettiest seen at the club.

A musical program in charge of Mrs. Hayward G. Thomas was a feature of the day. The numbers were as follows: Vocal solo, (a) At the Making of the Hay (Liza Lehmann), (b) June (Mrs. Beach), Miss Ruth Waterman, ballade, A flat (Chopin), Miss Elizabeth Simpson; vocal solo, selected, Miss Ruth Waterman.

Mrs. C. W. Kinsey was presiding hostess, assisted by the members of the board and a dozen members of the club.

The luncheon decoration committee included Mrs. Charles E. Cotton, chairman, assisted by Mrs. F. B. Taylor, Mrs. Samuel Gray, Miss Janet Haight, Mrs. F. T. McHenry.

AT LUNCHEON.

Mrs. Frank C. Watson entertained yesterday at a very pleasant affair, a luncheon given at her pretty home. The decorations were suggestive of St. Valentine, and red ribbon hearts formed the decoration on the white cloth. The favors were candy hearts.

The guests were members of a card club and after luncheon a game of bridge was enjoyed. Those who carried off prizes were Mrs. Engs and Mrs. Rosenfeld.

Mrs. Watson's guests were: Miss Belle Nicholson, Miss Carrie Nicholson, Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld, Mrs. A. A. Long, Mrs. Wickham Havens, Mrs. Edward Engs, Mrs. D. A. Proctor, Mrs. Louise Gage, Miss Ena Langworthy, Mrs. James Tyson, Mrs. Edward Howard, Mrs. Fred Morse, Mrs. George de Golla and Miss Harriet Morgan.

SHAKESPEARIAN RECITAL.

Madame Barry will appear this evening in dramatic interpretations from the work of Shakespeare and it is expected that a large audience will greet the gifted reader, whose recent interpretation of "Mona Vanna" was the success of the season.

Margaret Barry is eminent in her art, and those who have not heard her dramatic reading should not miss this opportunity. She is here only on a visit and this will probably be her last recital in this city.

The proceeds of the evening will be devoted, in part, to the Mutual Benefit Club.

A RECEPTION.

The Mills Club holds an elaborate reception today at 1820 California street, honoring Mrs. Susan B. Mills.

EQUAL SUFFRAGE.

The next regular quarterly meeting of the Seventh Ward Equal Suffrage Club will be held February 15, at 8 p. m., at 263 East Eighteenth street, near Fifth avenue. A full attendance is requested.

AN ENGAGEMENT.

The engagement made public today of Miss Mabel Roberts of this city and Charles E. Rykert of Westerfield, New York, is full of romantic interest.

Mr. Rykert is singing evangelist traveling with the Chapman evangelists, who made such a stir in church circles here last spring. The young singer secured Miss Roberts as his accompanist, and the friends, congenial in work, were soon lovers, and when the evangelist departed he carried with him the promise of marriage from the pretty little Californian who played his accompaniment so remarkably well.

Miss Roberts has sung a great deal in church and concert work, and after her marriage in March will travel with her husband as his permanent accompanist. She is a former student of the Oakland High School, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roberts, of 1054 Tenth street, well known in church and social circles.

OAKLAND CLUB.

The Oakland Club has announced an interesting program for tomorrow, when Mrs. W. H. J. Mathews is chairman.

Judge Melvin will give a talk on "Living Writers," and there will be an instrumental solo by Miss Baker, a vocal solo by E. James Finney and Hawaiian selection by Mrs. Brigrman. Mrs. Mathews will read a paper on "Old Sights in Italy."

The presiding hostess will be Miss L. Denison, assisted by Mrs. R. T. Dey, Mrs. M. J. Brown, Mrs. F. L. Everett, Mrs. E. J. Crowell, Mrs. Hugh Hogan, Mrs. J. H. Mathews and Mrs. A. C. Dietz.

PAINTING PORTRAIT.

Mrs. Guy Waterbury (Laura Prather), who has been spending several days in San Francisco as the guest of Miss Sophie Coleman, returned Saturday to her home in Sacramento.

day to her home in Sacramento. Mrs. Waterbury is painting a portrait of Mrs. Eleanor Martin.

PHELPS-BARRACLOUGH.

The interesting announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. J. T. Barracough of Piedmont and Robert S. Phelps, which took place Saturday at El Paso, Texas.

Mrs. Phelps is one of the most popular matrons on this side of the bay and Mr. Phelps is vice-president of the firm of Taft & Penoyer, and the couple have a host of friends here who are extending congratulations.

The ceremony was witnessed only by a half dozen friends, among them Mr. and Mrs. Burns, with whom Mrs. Phelps has been enjoying a tour of Mexico. Mr. Phelps joined the party at El Paso, when the marriage took place.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.

The birthday of Abraham Lincoln was celebrated yesterday at the regular meeting of the Daughters of the Revolution.

The afternoon proved an exceptionally interesting one. Mrs. T. C. Hall, the daughter of Lincoln's law partner, Mr. Herndon, gave a few personal reminiscences in a charming manner. Mrs. Harry Keller read a sketch of Lincoln's boyhood, and his manhood was discussed by Mrs. John T. Dilla. Excellent music was furnished by Mrs. E. L. Bartholomew, accompanied by Miss Rena Burnham, and this added materially to the pleasure of the afternoon.

Mrs. Giles H. Gray is regent of the Oakland Chapter, the other officers being Mrs. C. J. Waterhouse, recording secretary; Mrs. Harry Keller, treasurer; Miss Lily Cole, corresponding secretary; Mrs. David Gage, registrar, and Miss Catherine Ward, historian.

WILL RETURN.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Irving Wright of Berkeley are now in Italy, but are expected home in March, having spent many pleasant months traveling on the continent.

AN ENGAGEMENT.

The engagement is announced of Miss Mary Harrold, the daughter of Mrs. Sara Harrold of Fruitvale, and Arthur L. Corder, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Corder of Oak street.

Miss Harrold has a host of friends here, her family having been residents of Fruitvale for many years. Her fiancé is a graduate of the University of California and a favorite in college and social circles.

The wedding date has not been definitely mentioned, but the marriage will be an event of the spring and the couple will make their home in this city.

BRIDGE CLUB.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Clarence Gray and Miss Marion Everson entertained their Monday bridge club at the Everson home in Filbert street. A dozen played, the winners being Mrs. Newton Koser and Mrs. William E. Colby.

SURPRISE PARTY.

A delightful surprise party was given recently to Mrs. Annie M. Tyler at her home, 856 West street. The occasion of the merriment was Mrs. Tyler's birthday, and she was the recipient of many pretty gifts.

During the evening supper was served, after which games and dancing continued until a late hour.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. Cowell, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sweetser, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hitchcock, Mr. and Mrs. J. Buddell, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lake, Mrs. Clara Jeffrey, Mrs. R. Randow, Charles Brand, George Brand, E. Bestrafer, L. Frank, U. D. Scott, Eugene Woery, Ezra Whittier, Mrs. E. D. Clarrage, Miss E. Clarrage, Mrs. M. E. Smith, Miss Belle Brand, Miss Charlotte Ryan, Mrs. J. Bolles, Mrs. M. A. Pendleton, Miss Anita Dewey, Miss E. L. Whittier, Miss Emma Stevenson, Miss Eva Jensen, Miss Mary Ward, Miss S. H. Dewey, Miss J. Stratford, Miss A. P. Caldwell, Miss H. C. Quester.

WILL ENTERTAIN.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Colby will entertain half a dozen friends at an informal dinner tomorrow evening.

WHIST TOURNAMENT.

This evening a whist tournament will be given in Emeryville by Mrs. J. C. Emery and Mrs. T. C. Judkins at the former's residence, corner of San Pablo and Park avenues.

The proceeds of the affair will be used for the benefit of the West Oakland Home.

The following ladies will act as scorers: Mrs. Joseph H. Mathews, Mrs.



MISS ROBERTS, WHOSE ENGAGEMENT IS ANNOUNCED.

Thomas I. Chew, Mrs. F. L. Button, Mrs. W. W. Crane, Mrs. W. C. Ralston, Mrs. A. P. Holland, Mrs. Walter D. Reed, Mrs. Walter Cobick, Mrs. H. H. Emery, Mrs. J. D. Carter, Mrs. F. Howard Parr.

GOING ABROAD.

Mrs. William Havemeyer and daughter, Miss Ethel, left yesterday for New York. Later this month they will join Miss Vera Havemeyer, who is visiting in Chicago, and early in March the three will leave on a European tour.

ELABORATE TEA.

Miss Elizabeth Huntington will be the honored guest at an elaborate tea planned by Mrs. William H. Mills, Miss Ardella Mills and Miss Elizabeth Mills for Thursday afternoon, February 22. The marriage of Miss Huntington and Brockway Metcalf is to take place March 6, and in the meanwhile the popular bride-elect is the motif for many charming affairs.

DINNER GUESTS.

The following society note of interest comes from Washington: Representative and Mrs. Knowland gave a dinner last evening at the Connecticut to Senator and Miss Perkins and Senator and Mrs. Flint and Mrs. Flint's mother, Mrs. Danekin.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. Jambone announced the engagement of their niece, Miss Regina Hamo, to Joseph Joyce at an informal reception last Saturday afternoon at their Piedmont residence. Miss Hamo is said to be a charming girl, tall and slender, of the brunette type. She has just returned from Berlin, where she had been studying music for the past five years. Mr. Joyce, at one time halfback on the famous Yale football team, is a partner in the law firm of Buckle, Edes & Joyce of Stockton. There is an interesting romance attached to the engagement of these young people, which began while Mr. Joyce was sojourning in Berlin with his partner, Bernard Edes. Among those present at the reception were: Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Buckle, Mr. Edes, Mr. and Mrs. Tina Egan, Mr. and Mrs. Hughie Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. John Townsend, Miss Mae Haley, Miss Jennie O'Dea, Miss M. Ferry, Miss K. Azevedo, Miss R. Dorr, Miss Arabella Shine, Miss Johanna Brady, Miss Harrietta Davis, Miss A. McGregor, Messrs. J. Kehoa, Sam Tashli, Peter Mehner, Otto Cortina, Captain Holland, Judge Hinkle and Colonel McStay.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. Laignor of this city was at Weaverville last week with her son, George Laignor, who had been badly hurt by falling from a telegraph pole at the Lagrange mine.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Montes of Oakland are at the Ogilvie Hotel, Fresno.

J. O. Wachler has gone from Oakland to Oroville to live.

C. D. Vincent of this city is a visitor in Fresno.

J. Estrem has been on a business trip from this city to Fresno.

Max Nelson of this city is registered at the Grand Central, Fresno.

E. S. Tolar has returned to Oakland after a trip to Fresno.

H. J. Ramsay of Berkeley was a recent visitor in Sacramento.

W. B. Lowman of this city visited his former home in Point Richmond last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Monnett of Oakland visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Koch at Stockton recently.

A. C. Hodges of this city is visiting in Sacramento.

Sidney W. Smith of Oakland was in Fresno last week proceeding from there to Los Angeles.

E. Flint of this city has been spending a few days in Fresno.

ENVIOUS OUTSIDERS.

There is now some dispute as to whether the last syllable of Illinois should be pronounced "noil" or "noiz." Inasmuch as this is the State in which Chicago is located, we vote that it be spelled "noiz," and pronounced loud. —Charleston News and Courier.

GIRL IS HELD PRISONER IN CHIMNEY

BALLARD, Wash., Feb. 13.—Miss Mamie Chase, a nineteen-year-old Ballard girl, nearly lost her life while attempting to escape from the woman's ward of the city jail yesterday morning. In her frenzy to get away from the spot she was held a more secure prisoner by an innocent chimney hole.

Arrested late Saturday night by Officer Albar, her blubious male companion escaping in the mix-up, the girl was carried to jail. Early in the morning she came to a realization of her position and in her frantic desire to escape the ignominy of it, she recognized in the chimney, leading from the corridor to which she had access, the only avenue of escape.

Her piercing shrieks attracted the attention of the officer who had made the arrest, as he was passing the city hall. An examination revealed that he needed assistance and two pedestrians were called in. The girl had climbed to a stove in which a low fire slumbered, and in the action broke off one of its legs, the stovepipe was hurled from its position and she thrust her head in the opening from which the pipe had been torn.

The head stuck hard and fast and the relative position of the girl was that of holding the wobbly stove in place with her tiptoes while to make an effort to proceed meant the collapse of her support, and the almost certain breaking of her neck. She realized this and reserved her strength for the use of her vocal chords. The combined strength of the three men was necessary to extricate her from the perilous position she had occupied for thirty minutes.

Womanlike she promptly fainted and was laid on her cell cot. A most remarkable change had been made in her appearance. From a decided blonde she was converted to a striking brunette. Concluding that she had been punished sufficiently, she was liberated after recovering from her swoon.

NOTES FOR WOMEN.

The woman of the Philippines holds a position quite unique. The woman is the business manager and financier of the family. Although poor and uneducated she is accustomed to hold her own, and is considered poor spirited, indeed, if she fails to manage her affairs with skill. She usually carries on a business of her own independent of her husband. She is in the habit also, of attending, in company with her husband, the gambling den, the cockpit, and also takes part in political discussions. She has plenty of spare time, however, as the houses are simple in construction and easily cared for. The floors are of bamboo and, as the dust sifts through, require little sweeping. There are no windows to polish, no ice-box to keep sweet and clean, no closets to keep in order. When the beds are rolled up in the morning the work is done for the day. There are no preserves to put up and no winter supplies to store away, for marketing is done as is needed each day, or three times a day. No family lives alone, for there are usually relatives or orphans who share the life and work of a home, so that there is little to do and still less to occupy the mind.

The sad death of Lady Isabel Wilson, only fifteen months after her marriage, is likely to confirm those who believe in omens in the idea that green is an unlucky color. It was much in evidence at St. George's, Hanover square, when Lady Isabel Innes-Ker, sister of the duke of Roxburghe, became the wife of Guy Wilson. The four pretty girls—Lady Evelyn Innes-Ker, Miss Gladys Wilson, Miss Gladys Fellows and Miss Pauline Astor—who were her bridesmaids, wore gowns of leaf-green taffetas and carried bunches of flowering myrtle; while the tiny page, a son of Mrs. Guy Fairfax, had a suit of green chiffon velvet, and Lady Margaret Orr-Ewing's little girl, who was also in attendance on her aunt, wore a wreath of myrtle on her dark curls.

Some exquisite English color plates, hand-painted, illustrating "Sally in Our Alley," "Comin' Through the Rye" and other popular and familiar songs, are one of the features of a certain shop. The figures are quaint and beautiful and the little prints not more than six inches long are passepartouts.

Women who do their own housework and who dislike broken and soiled nails will find a real protection in a new device now placed on the market. They are rubber finger tips—ten of them for a quarter, and fit exactly the tips of the finger, coming to almost the first joint and having a round perforation inside the hand, that the sense of touch may not be lost. They protect the nails from dirt and one can garden, black stoves, paint or use dyes and chemicals, feeling that the nails will not suffer.

Mr. Depew's case, we feel sure, has been diagnosed wrongly. It isn't aphasia that ails him. It is inertia. —Chicago Tribune.

JILTS WOMAN BECAUSE OF CHARACTER

PUEBLO, Colo., Feb. 13.—In answer to a breach of promise suit brought recently by Lizzie Koleswar, the defendant, Albert Bownsky, raises an unusual defense. He does not deny that he promised to marry the girl, the point usually raised by the defense in similar cases, but he sets forth that after making the offer of marriage he learned that the girl did not bear a good character. Consequently, he said, he refused to enter into marriage with the girl he had wooed and won.

In the suit filed by Miss Koleswar, whose name is also given as Kolas in the complaint, it is alleged that Bownsky made repeated offers for her hand, and that she consented to marry him when she attained her majority. She was eighteen in February, 1905, and when she then accepted Bownsky's offer of marriage, Bownsky refused to carry out his part of the agreement.

The girl then brought suit for \$2000 damages as a claim for her wounded feelings and also to pay doctor bills for an illness she claimed was brought on by her lover's unfaithfulness. Bownsky states in his answer that when he made the offer of marriage he believed the girl of his choice to possess all the qualities he would demand in a wife. Later, he said, he secured evidence that seemed to him conclusive that there were blotches on the character of the girl. There promises to be some racy testimony advanced when the girl and her baby appear in court to advance the breach of faith charges against Bownsky, and when Bownsky attempts to prove the charges he makes concerning the girl's character.

CHILDREN'S CHILDREN.

O mothers, lonely in your house today, From whence the voice of glad young life has flown, Where joy once reigned sits silence cold and gray, The children now have dear homes of their own.

That this might come to us one day we knew, For always ere the frost had kissed the flowers, The full-fledged birdlings from the home-nest flew; But ah, the autumn seemed so far from ours!

And not for us the hope the fond birds share, That brings them hastening over hill and plain To build and rear anew with tenderest care; For never may we build and rear again.

But would we keep our dear ones, though we might? Nay, mother-hearts, not self-love do we know; When once they prove their strong young wings in flight, We hide our tears, and, smiling, bid them go.

Some day, perhaps, when little fingers twine In clinging trustfulness about our own, And eyes so strangely like to yours and mine Look up with loving glances we have known,

With joy we'll clasp the precious thing and say, This is reward for all our loss and pain;

This is God's plan, that haply thus we may, Through children's children, build and rear again.

—Helen Marquis.

Invitations to weddings in Wales are very businesslike. When the parents of the bride-to-be bid her friends to the ceremony they bid them not to come empty-handed. The cards say: "Whatever donation you may be pleased to bestow will be thankfully received and cheerfully repaid whenever called for on a similar occasion. The parents of the bride and bridegroom-elect desire that all gifts due to them will be returned to them on the above date, and will be thankful for all favors granted."

Certainly Maude of England, queen of Norway, is a far happier woman than another Princess Maud who once before sailed away over the North sea to assume the crown of Norway. It was early in October, 1766, that Caroline Matilda, (always called in her own family Maud, which is exactly the same as Matilda), was married by proxy to the young and dissolute king of Denmark and Norway. She was the fifteen-year-old sister of George III, the youngest of the seven children of Frederick, prince of Wales, born some time after his death. Poor child! She wept when they bedded her in wedding flattery and married her.

WOMAN ABSTAINS FROM WATER FOR 48 YEARS

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Bertha Vera Blake, chorus girl, is out of a job, and all on account of her old-fashioned notions. She reproved Besse (the "T" in that last syllable) Evelyn Gibson for reading Town Topics. Bertha and Besse were chums, but incompatibility of literature dropped the curtain.

"This is how it happened. Says Besse, tripping into Bertha's dressing-room:

"Oh! Listen to this." Says Bertha: "What are you reading?" Miss Gibson showed the paper. It was a copy of Town Topics. Exclaims Miss Blake:

"You mustn't read such a thing in our dressing-room. Haven't you read what the papers say about it?"

When Miss Gibson persisted in perusing Town Topics, Miss Blake demanded a dressing-room apart from her former chum. "Gracious knows, chorus girls have to stand for enough, but there are some things to which they must turn the wooden ear," murmured Miss Blake, swatting a call.

Miss Blake just wouldn't let up on Manager Block on the isolated dressing-room proposition, so Mr. Block counted the fatal "23."

Miss Blake, cheerful out of all proportion to her affliction, was found in her apartment in the Dunlap on West Forty-fourth street last night. When asked about retiring from the "Coming Through the Rye" company, she said:

"It isn't that I care about it, but to think that Besse Gibson would read that paper."

BATHROOM IN EVERY HOME A PARTY ISSUE

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 13.—"Water makes me sick, sometimes the mere sight of it nauseates me." This is the reason Mrs. Sarah Mills, of Ogden, Utah, gives for not having drunk water for forty-eight years. Mrs. Mills is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. F. Rawlins.

"My abstinence from water is not a matter of rule," Mrs. Mills said today. "I simply don't care for water as a beverage. I never think of drinking it any more than I would of taking a glass of poison."

"I cannot state the scientific reason for my loathing of water, having never consulted a physician on the subject. Some people have suggested that it is all imagination. That is not true. Water seems to poison my whole system, so I only drink milk or tea."

DICTATES PROPOSAL TO A TYPEWRITER

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 13.—If the Social Democrats can carry out their program every one will have a bathroom in his home. "Cleanliness next to Godliness" seems to be the motto of the third party, as outlined in its platform, which was adopted at a meeting last night.

The bathroom, with all necessary plumbing, is to be put in by the city and paid for in instalments.

Other free things the party wants are free text books, free medical service, free hospitals, free legal advice where worthy people are too poor to pay an attorney, also free concerts in the parks in summer and in halls in the winter.

NEWS OF THE SHOPS.

For babies are seen birth-month spoons and forks. Fleecy white shawls of shetland wool are now offered for \$4.50. Pretty silk evening scarfs, useful, too, on cool summer nights, are \$1.50.

One of the new 1906 calendars set in an antique brass frame is marked \$2.

New Year souvenir postal cards come in a clever lot of designs at two for five cents.

Inexpensive umbrella jars that are really decorative come in blue Japanese ware.

Very short coats reaching just to the hips are seen in some of the newest tailor makes.

The new linen turnover collars are fully two inches deep and are decorated with tiny linen-covered buttons.

Breathes there a housekeeper who, possessed of a house with a fireplace, does not long intensely for a pair of andirons or perhaps a brass fire set?

If there is she ought not to see the andirons and brass sets exhibited by an antique shop, for she surely will become converted. These sets have the advantage of not being of modern make, but have behind them history of generations gone by.

FOR THE HOUSEWIFE.

A little pipeclay dissolved in the water employed in washing linen cleanses the dirtiest clothes thoroughly, with a great saving of labor and soap. It will also improve the color of the linen, giving it, if used regularly, the appearance of having been bleached.

When boiling meat the red juice will escape and so render it dry and insipid if a fork is used in turning it instead of a knife or spoon. If the meat sticks to the gridiron and is marked by the bars, the latter have not been well greased before putting on the steak.

If meat is tough, or if you have any doubt as to its tenderness, put a tablespoonful of vinegar over when putting it on to cook. You will find it very tender when done. Try steaming fowls instead of boiling. You will find that the meat is always tender and the full benefit of the fowl is kept, besides a very delicate flavor.

To polish the dining table, take a quarter of a pound of beeswax (the unbleached will do) and have ready a piece of carpet or a quarter of a yard square, lined with a piece of cloth and padded. Hold the wax between a finger and thumb, melt it in the palm of the hand, and while yet warm begin to rub the table briskly. Rub for a quarter of an hour.



MAY PROBE INTO TURF SCANDAL

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Characterizing the Memphis gold cup case as the most deplorable turf scandal he had ever known and calculated to work untold injury to harness racing interests, David Bonner yesterday declared to Major P. F. Johnson, president of the National Trotting Association, that he deemed it the duty of that organization to investigate at once the charges made against E. R. Smathers and other men out with punishment to the conspirators or brand the accusation as false if found to be untrue.

Speaking with all the vehemence at his command, the former vice-president of the National Trotting Association added:

"As the guardian of harness racing, the National Trotting Association owes it to the sport to take cognizance of the case without waiting for a trial in the civil courts, a year or more, which will punish nobody and perhaps decide nothing but the legal title to the cup. In my opinion, Mr. President, the importance of the case demands a special meeting of the board of review, and I hope you will call one as soon as you can to the case are ready to be heard."

"So far as I can judge of the case from reading the newspapers, I do not see anything in it which requires the decision of either the courts or the board of review," replied Major Johnson. "The only evidence that has been disclosed thus far is from two men who are by their own confessions discredited. I do not doubt that the board of review will deal with the case if requested to do so by either of the parties interested and we may decide to do so on our own motion."

"Under the rule of the National Association," continued Major Johnson, "every member and everyone who makes an entry in a race agrees to submit all disputes arising out of the judgment of this association, and I am rather surprised that the Memphis men have taken the case into the courts."

EVIDENCE OF CONSPIRACY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—Murray Howe, secretary of the Memphis Trotting Association, who has been investigating the Memphis case for nearly two years, declared today that he had overwhelming evidence of conspiracy on the part of Smathers to put Lou Dillon out of the running in the Memphis championship race. Howe continued: "I first became suspicious that something had been done to Lou Dillon while she was warming up in her trial heat. She broke badly, this being the first break I ever saw her make."

"When the race came off and Billings climbed into the sulky behind her, she made a good start—the same kind of a start any horse would have made in the excitement of the getaway—but in the latter part of the race she came back on the driver as if she wanted to get into the sulky and ride with him. This is just contrary to the way Lou Dillon usually raced. She was always a strong finisher. My suspicions were immediately aroused, and I knew there was something the matter with the mare, and I determined to make an investigation."

"The reason I did not voice my suspicions to the officers of the association is very evident to a person who understands the laws of the association. If I had said 'I think a horse has been tampered with, I would have been ordered to make good my accusation right away. I was obliged to wait until I got proof and corroborative evidence, which I have since obtained. When I did get this evidence I laid it before Billings. He did not instigate the investigation and he did not even know it was being carried on. I alone took the initiative."

Smathers said today: "I can only say that every day brings me more assurance of defeating the purposes of my enemies."

Billings said the entire matter was up to the Memphis Trotting Association, but did not deny a report of a possible \$100,000 damage suit.

ST. SOSEPH'S IN WINNING FORM

...young academics of St. Joseph's Academy, Peralta Park, defeated a nine from Alameda, yesterday, by a score of 11 to 10. The feature of the game was the work of George Bosquet, in center field. The Young Academics would like to hear from any teams under 14 or 15 years, all games to be played on the Academy grounds.

The line-up: Joe Parda, catcher; Lincoln Toomey, pitcher; Tom McCarthy, first base; Fred Lunn, second base; Eddie Zander, third base; Ray Elgie, left field; Frank Tompkinson, right field; George Bosquet, center field.



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PUBLIC HAS A PLEASANT DAY

It was the public's day at Emeryville yesterday. Favorites were successful in five of the six races on the card. The talent displayed unexpected skill in picking the mud runners. When the racing began the track was heavy from the rain of Saturday, and the showers that came down at intervals during the afternoon made the going pretty soft.

Janice Martin took the opening event with the greatest ease. As a good horse she was in the betting at one time, Tommy Clark got the filly away from the post in front, and she romped home a winner by four lengths, eased up. Apache R., extensively played at, posted for place and show, failed to come within the money. Nancy W., out for the first time, showed speed.

Corrigan's class won for Dr. Rowell the purse for non-winners at the present meeting. Orrington, out in the fifth position, led to the front at the half, and raced it out with Corrigan. At the paddock the two horses were neck and neck, with the rest of the field far behind. In the final sixteenth Corrigan outgamed Orrington, and won by something over a length.

PUBLIC KNEW.

Sad Sam opened favorites in the third, a five-furlong dash, but the public refused to accept the bookies' choice, and played Dr. J. Grant Lyman's Ruler into the back stretch, and Jackfull, ridden as usual by T. Sullivan, was about as far ahead of the rest of the field. Sullivan moved up by degrees and, overtaking the driving pacemaker near the paddock, won by over a length. Waterbury, played at post time, showed no ability as a mud-runner.

Jackfull and Ralph Young made a two-horse race of the fourth event. The latter, with Herbert up, opened a big gap on the back stretch, and Jackfull, ridden as usual by T. Sullivan, was about as far ahead of the rest of the field. Sullivan moved up by degrees and, overtaking the driving pacemaker near the paddock, won by over a length. Waterbury, played at post time, showed no ability as a mud-runner.

EASY FOR BARR.

F. W. Barr, after receding in the battle from an odds-on to an even-money favorite, had little difficulty in winning the last race, a purse event at six furlongs. Isolation had a lot of early speed, but three badly after entering the stretch, as did El Dineo, who had been chasing the pacemaker. Fountain, riding a well judged race with the favorite, then came on and won by two lengths. Sea Lad and Spring Baa, the long shots of the race, got second and third.

MAKE CHANGES IN FOOTBALL RULES

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—According to a morning paper football will be played at Columbia University next fall. President Butler's original indictment against football provided that "the game of football should be abolished, and it is declared that the faculty has decided to retain the sport with objectionable features eliminated. Changes are to be made in the training rules and only one big game will be played."

ANSON TO BE ON DIAMOND AGAIN

CHICAGO, Feb. 13.—City Clerk Anson, known better to baseball fans the world over as "Cap" and "Old Anson," is reported, as a side issue with his other interests, and the coming season will have a crack team to contend with the other semi-professional nines around the city. Anson, through Joseph Belfield, has leased five acres of ground on South Park avenue, directly south of the White City, and on these grounds the "grand old man of baseball" will establish the team to be known as the White City "Anse" being only about 50 years young, will be expected by many of his fans to play first base again and show modern baseball rosters that the way to increase hitting is to pick out a big piece of history and lay it against the ball for a home run when he steps up to the plate.

HARVARD GIVES CONCESSION TO YALE

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Feb. 13.—The announcement is made at Yale that Harvard has accepted the proposition of Yale, made at the athletic conference held here last week, that students in professional schools be debarred from membership on university teams. Princeton has already acquiesced to the proposition. In Yale the action of Harvard is considered to be a great concession, as she is strong in her professional schools. Yale did not have so many to draw from, and Princeton is the gainer, having dependent almost wholly upon her academic department for athletes.

A further announcement made at Yale is that the training table expenses of her athletic teams will be greatly reduced, the reforms to begin with the baseball and crew squads.

DEVOTEES OF AUTO HOLD FIRST ANNUAL BANQUET

Bubbles of Wit and Many Good Things.

"Little drops of gasoline. Little grains of steel. Make a lot of noise and smell. Called an automobile."

The above was one of the numerous placards that graced the assembly hall of the Alameda County Automobile Club when the club's first annual banquet was held last night. There were other sentiments displayed after the auto's heart, but that one seemed the most popular. At any rate, somebody stole it soon after the proceedings began, and that ought to indicate something.

There were nearly 100 motorists at the banquet. A dozen or so of vacant chairs showed that all were not there who had been expected. But then yesterday was a bad day for fine machines. You can't expect them to gather from all parts of the county when uncontrollable circumstances have muddled the roads.

Those who attended found the banquet room arranged with five tables, in a hollow square, four running up to one crosswise. A few wisps of green on the chandeliers and half a dozen auto tires, garlanded with greenery, were the decorations. The above-mentioned placards were strewed with the club monogram and colors. Besides the one quoted—copied just before the vandals got it—there were these choice gems:

INTERESTING MOTTOES.

"If your best girl wishes to run the machine while you are doing more important work, it is best to take some time off."

"Should your girl climb give out, do not get rattled. Alight with easy grace from the machine, and then allow it to roll backwards down the hill. Then if it kills anybody you won't be to blame."

"In case you are left on the road with a pretty girl and a spark plug that doesn't work, get the girl to do the sparking and send for your wails."

"If there is a leak in your valves, fill up with highballs and think of other things."

"If your carburetor doesn't work, taste the gasoline and sweeten until right."

Now somebody, indeed, some newspaper, may have disseminated the idea that the "speed-mad motorist," to quote from the head lines, is a creature apart, different from other men. The fact is, however, that the imagination, helped, it is true, by glimpses of vague, bad smelling, streaks along the highway, depicts a being in long coat and goggles. That isn't the buzz-wagon conch, it is the man of the Union Club or the Golf Club.

GASOLINE CANS.

When these Alameda auto drivers took their seats, they found confronting them curious miniature gasoline cans, correct reproductions down to the spigot, labeled thus:

"Automobile Cocktail Formula: 1 glass gasoline, 72 degrees; 4 jiggers ginger oil; one spoonful graphite grease. Stir with a long, thin wrench and garnish with 4 'lock nuts'."

An upward pull on the can's handle showed that it was a can with liquid contents. Investigation showed the automobile cocktail to be a plagiarist. The island of little old New York is the injured party. Then the menu. Consult it and see if the autist isn't on a level with the rest of mankind.

Manhattan Cocktails.

Take Point Oysters on Half Shell. Chablis Alta Vista. Consomme on Tasse. Hot House Radishes, Manzanilla Olives. Fillet of Sole a la Normay. Calves Sweetbreads a la Coquette. Petite Fois. Fresh Lobster a la Newberg, en Constat. Roast Duck a la Maryland. Burgundy Alta Vista. Fried Hominy. Raspberry Sauce. Neapolitan Ice Cream.



R. J. McMULLEN, TREASURER ALAMEDA COUNTY AUTOMOBILE CLUB AND ONE OF COMMITTEE LARGELY RESPONSIBLE FOR LAST NIGHT'S SUCCESSFUL BANQUET.

Assorted Cakes. Bent Crackers. Sierra Cheese. Cafe Noir. Cigars and Cigarettes.

The happy spirit of the evening was helped by a string orchestra. Several of the banqueters had brought their own auto to the room, and when the music came on, the auto show in New York, and think one of the attendants must have given an injection of automobilism, for I have been reading catalogues ever since.

Before the banquet, a brief meeting of the club took place, at which a new pennant was adopted. It is of green, with the monogram "A. C." in red. This is an abbreviated form of initials of the club title. Pennants were distributed to the club members during the banquet.

TREASURER. R. J. McMullen, vice-president Heeseman, and President Rodolph led in the preparations for the banquet. They had it a success of the evening.

It should be recorded that the pilfered placard was rescued and restored to its proper chandler before the end of the evening.

The members and their guests present were as follows:

THOSE PRESENT.

Frank R. Mott, G. P. Reinhardt, Thomas Magee, W. C. Gardner, George W. Howell, A. H. Breed, C. D. Gilman, George W. Rodolph, Fred E. Rodolph, Miller W. Shawwood, Peter H. Hansen, Charles Koehler, James Taylor, D. H. McLaughlin, R. S. Folger, C. J. Heeseman, H. A. Duckworth, E. T. Brock, W. Freeling, W. H. Campbell, P. L. McMullen, F. W. Frost, R. J. McMullen, L. A. Stephenson.

THE SPEAKERS.

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KID HERMANN IS AFTER BRITT

Kid Hermann has arrived. Apparently none the worse for his twenty round argument with Aurelia Herrera last Friday night he reached San Francisco yesterday in company with his manager, Nate Lewis. Tonight the two leave for Chicago, where Hermann is billed as a theatrical attraction for a week or so. The trip to San Francisco was made for the single purpose of endeavoring to match fight with the only James Edward Britt, and from the minute Lewis and his charge stepped off the train they endeavored to locate James Edward's trail.

Lewis, speaking for Hermann, says he has \$1000 posted with a Chicago sporting editor to find such a match, and says the money has been put up for some time past. He wants Britt to sign articles for a twenty round engagement, the weight to be 133 pounds at 6 o'clock. Hermann is a light boy, able to do 125, ringside, without any great trouble, according to Lewis, and has been conceding weight in his matches for the last year, during which period he has not met with a single defeat.

Lewis will endeavor to get Britt and the fight magnates together some time before he leaves the city today, and says he believes the local scene will be willing to handle the scrap, but if James Edward is willing the contest can be put on by McCarrey at Los Angeles. As Lewis and Hermann are to leave the city where anything will be done today, but the match looks like a good one and may be made.

ACCIDENTS IN BIG CUP RACE

HAVANA, Feb. 13.—Victor Memogot, top winner of Ormond, Fla., of the title of the world's speed king, has earned another triumph by winning the Cuban cup in the second international road race. The victory was gained in the Darraq car which, driven by Hemery, won the two great road events of last year, namely, the Ardennes circuit in France, and the Vanderbilt cup race on Long Island. It was the lightest machine in today's race, being only eighty-four pounds, the others being respectively, ninety to 110.

Although all three of Memogot's competitors in the main race were either stopped by accident or failed to finish within the time limit, Memogot's great speed was fairly maintained throughout, resulting in maintaining the reputation of the Cuban road as being among the world's fastest.

Despite the drawbacks of three contras, sharp corners in the town of Marianao, and close crowding by the excited populace at the curving points, he made the match in an average of 8.4 miles an hour. The average miles per hour for the entire 21 1/2 miles was 8.7, which is within 1 1/2 miles of the Vanderbilt cup race average.

Lancia, driving a Fiat, made the most sensational speed of the day going, it was claimed, then quit the race and conveyed a physician to the aid of the injured man.

Cedeno, also driving a Fiat, was overturned in the same vicinity on the first lap. Cedeno, who was injured internally, was conveyed to the city, where it is reported he is recovering. His chauffeur also was hurt.

LONG SHOT IN RIGHT AT ASCOT

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 13.—Ascot is a remarkable winter track, for, despite the heavy rains of Saturday and Sunday, it had dried out to such an extent that fast time was made yesterday. J. L. Holland's Brilbery, a prohibitive favorite at 1 to 2, won the fifty event after meeting with bad luck, running five furlongs in 1:07 1/2.

Wrenne, who has been a 200 to 1 shot each of the four previous starts at the present meeting, opened at 30 to 1 yesterday, and wise money forced the price to 10 to 1 at post time. The good thing got away second, and at once went to the front, ran the first half in 0:48 1/4, and had enough left to win by a head from the fast coming Conde. This race hit the ring hard.

Red Tape at 4 to 1 proved a repeater, winning as he pleased, but changed hands, J. C. Ohio bidding \$600, at which figure McCafferty let the mare go. He was entered for \$400. Dan Collins, at 8 to 1, Salvia, at 12 to 1, and Tim Hure, a heavily played favorite at 6 to 5, were the other winners. McDaniel rode two winners.

George Gunther will be back in the Hub shortly and wants to meet Terry Martin at Portland at catchweights. Or he will take on Leland at 150 pounds.

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ANOTHER TIM FLOOD TALE ABROAD

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 12.—"Tim" Flood, one of the best infielders St. Louis ever developed, and Ned Hanlon's second sacker at Brooklyn in 1904, who helped Los Angeles win the Los Angeles Pacific Coast League championship and drew a suspension a fortnight before the campaign closed, for assaulting Umpire Ira Davis, goes to the Outlaws of Western Pennsylvania, according to a story printed in St. Louis today.

Flood was blacklisted by the Pacific Coast League for the Davis incident. Some days ago he gained reinstatement, and it was pretty well understood that he would join one of George Tesen's teams. Now it is said Flood will play with Arthur Irwin's Altoona team of the Tri-State League. In fact, it is said he has already signed up with Irwin.

ADOPTS NEW RULES

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A new rule which was, it is said, favorably considered, and which the A. T. A. has sanctioned, was the creation of a board of stewards in circuits made up of no less than five tracks and not more than twelve who shall constitute a governing body for the circuit in which they are named; acting jointly for the tracks and the parent association. The stewards will be appointed by the N. T. A., and their decisions shall be binding until the close of racing on the circuit for which they act. The stewards will act as an intermediary between the tracks and the board of review, in cases where officials are committed against said tracks.

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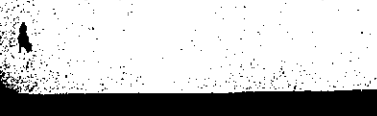
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Lusk, \$2242; T. H. Stevens & Son, \$2154; J. Madison, \$2109.

Cushing & Barbee have arrived from Los Angeles with their stable of seven thoroughbreds, including Hans Wagner, Ralph Reese, Beulah, La Londe, Charles Clifford and Lady Walker.

Red Light is back in Dick Williams' stable again. The horse ran unplaced in the fifth race yesterday, and her former owner, whose Arrahgovan ran third, claimed the mare that J. B. Smith ran up to \$900, having won the fourth race last Thursday.

Treubel is showing some improvement in the saddle. He was a



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ADDITIONAL SPORTS

PRESIDENT BERT TELLS M'CREEDIE DEAL MUST STAND

PORTLAND, Feb. 13.—President B. F. Bert of the Pacific Coast League has instructed Walter McCredie both by letter and wire, that he is expected to stand by the trade made last fall, when it was announced that Atz and Schlaefly of the Portland team were given over in exchange for Smith, Flood and Toren. Just what will happen McCredie does not know, but he is not worrying to any extent, as either way the wind blows he is safe enough.

If the trade is compelled to stand, while Portland will lose Atz and Schlaefly, who, by the way, has been drafted by Washington, the Beaver team, on the other hand, will have Flood and Smith for the infield and no harm will come of the proposition. McCredie is willing to trade Smith back for Atz, and says that President Bert is perfectly willing to allow such a proposition. But the Portland manager will not give up Flood, and declares further that the reinstatement of the unruly second baseman was conditional on his playing with the Portland team.

More so has undoubtedly thought he would come into possession of Flood and Smith once more, and the trade awakening that may have already come to him would have been a heavy spectacle to the fans. President Bert is in duty bound to stand firm. He consented to the trade, despite the protestations of Fisher, who averred that it was all a sham, and Bert cannot allow himself to be shown up at the present time.

This is the sort of wire that McCredie received:

Notice San Francisco Bulletin in regard to trade of Atz and Schlaefly for Flood, Smith and Toren. The public must be considered. Talk this matter over with the Judge.

FLOOD SURE FOR PORTLAND.

"My uncle received a similar message."

WEST OAKLAND CLUB ARRANGES GOOD CARD

The West Oakland Club books for this month are to be held on Tuesday evening, February 20. The main event is to be a return go between, "Kid" Bell of Denver and Abe Label of the Hayes Valley Club at 115 pounds. These boys put up a rattling go in their previous encounter, Label taking the decision at the end of the four rounds.

The balance of the card is as follows:

"Kid" Hall of Oakland vs Joe Shields of

said McCredie this morning, "and I have a letter from President Bert on the subject. It looks as if he intended to make the trade stick. I am willing to trade Smith for Atz, and President Bert has said that could be done. But you can put it down as an absolute certainty that Flood will be with the Portland team. I would just as soon keep Smith, but will trade if Morley wants to. You needn't be afraid of Smith refusing to come north. Morley is putting up a line of talk about his refusing to play elsewhere than in Los Angeles, but that is all a bluff. Maybe we will lose Atz. I don't know about that."

"The original agreement between Morley and the Portland Club has been sent to President Bert. We had an oral agreement to the effect that if Flood was reinstated I was to have the privilege of allowing the deal to stand, or to call it off. The whole matter is now in the hands of Bert."

"As regards Schlaefly, we have not received a cent of the money paid for him. That, I suppose, is in the hands of the president of the Pacific Coast League. Schlaefly is test to Morley, but that is not our fault. There is no chance for the Portland team to get the worst of the deal, whichever way it goes."

MAY GO TO SAN JOSE.

"We have not fully decided the question of training quarters. I have had letters from Denny Shay, in Stockton, and also have had word from San Jose. One of these places will be named, but which one we are as yet undecided."

"Had a letter this morning from Ben Henderson, the pitcher, who is at Council Bluffs, Ia. He says he would like to spend a few days at the Hot Springs in good condition, but would like to go to the springs right now. If I can get in shape this spring I will show you something."

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is very likely that Wilson and Shea will agree in some trade.

Oakland will need a backstop, as Joe Jones Byrnes, and Wilson may find a berth on this side of the bay. Parks and Van Halteren are old pals, so it wouldn't be surprising if Oakland made an offer for the former San Francisco manager.

SCHMIDT'S TROUBLES.

Smiling Schmidt, the new addition to Mike Fisher's Fresno pitching staff, may not wear a Fresno City uniform after all. That little scence he had with the Oakland Club last year still hovers over the Dutchman like a dark cloud.

Cal Ewing has written President Bert that he notified him last year, when Schmidt was released by the Commuters, that it was a case of "hands off." The meaning of this term is that whenever a player is released by any Pacific Coast League club and the words "hands off" are inserted in the communication to the president of the league, none of the other managers are allowed to sign the player until the written consent of the club which turned him loose has been obtained.

It is on this ground that Ewing has filed a protest with the president and the latter has informed Fisher that he cannot use Schmidt until he obtains the written consent of Cal Ewing of the Oakland Club. Oakland does not want to use Schmidt, but Ewing has some grievance against the pitcher, which will in all probability cause him to withhold his consent. In that case the Schmidt will not be able to play in the Coast League, but will be forced to look elsewhere for a job.

HALL "LOOKIN' ROUND."

Russ Hall, with money to spend, is the real popular kid down in Southern California these days. He is looking for a place to train his band of bad athletes next spring. He prefers Santa Barbara, for Russ, despite his democracy, likes to hobnob with swellmen in the evenings after he has doffed his sweater, and wiped the grime of the diamond from his brow.

Visalia, made famous as the birthplace of Ovie Orell, is making overtures to Russ to bring his ballplayers there to train, but the Kentuckian rather favors the great winter resort where he trained last spring. If the right kind of arrangements can be made.

San Francisco trained at Visalia last year and finished second in the race. If the same thing would happen to the Seaside team, Russ would not hesitate a minute for a Seattle team to finish second would just about own the town. Overall is spending the winter at Visalia, and the fans there have organized a team. With the big fellow in the box they have real money to bet their team can beat the Seaside bunch, so Russ may go there to show them they are mistaken.

PUGILIST'S GO AT HIGH ART

BOSTON, Feb. 13.—Battling Nelson, the prizefighter, is very busy telling the talent all about his visit to Mrs. Jack Gardner's Venetian Palace. It appears that Nelson rambled around among the art treasures without breaking any, and that he was tremendously edified. Several of the old masters appealed to him and several did not. Still life studies were distinctly distasteful. He yawned slightly over vistas of hill and dale bespattered with cows, and devoted his attention to the action scenes almost entirely.

"It's a long story but it was great," said he in talking of the visit. "Talk about your swell places. Me for the Gardner palace. It has all other places beaten as much as Jim Jeffries has any place in the heavyweight class. Ever since I first rode about in the limousine I didn't know if I could, but nothing ventured, nothing gained, as the poets say."

APPROACHED IN "GRAND STYLE."

Nelson's talk of preserving Nelson's reputation unscathed will be considered, subterfuge, and instead of Battling Nelson being regarded as the lightweight phenomenon of his day he will be looked upon as a fellow with limitations, one who suspects that a certain chocolate-colored lightweight is his master, and is determined not to put the question to the test.

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Coming down to more recent years, the defeat of the top weight, Perry Belmont's Elcheimer, 130 pounds, in 1900, by Kinley Mack, 125 pounds, convinced the onlookers that Mr. Belmont was the owner of one of the best horses of a decade, for the racer responded to Maher's call from an almost hopeless position, and was undoubtedly overhauling Kinley Mack at the finish.

If Sweeney starts and then wins the carrying record for that great race, 131 pounds has not as yet been carried to victory in the Sheepshead Bay fixture.

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AUSTRALIA IS ANXIOUS TO SEE JAMES J. JEFFRIES

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—An American

just back from Australia, says:

"When I left there was a rumor afloat that Jeffries was on his way over to fight some good man. They want to see Jeffries in the ring, and any time he concludes to visit that country a \$10,000 purse awaits him."

There is a wealthy bookmaker at Melbourne named John Wren who has offered to give Jeff a purse of \$10,000. Wren has more money than he knows what to do with. To give you an

idea of how big a sport he is he won \$350,000 on one of his horses recently when it won a cup race.

"Mr. Squires, the heavyweight, should improve, he may establish his claim upon the heavyweight championship beyond dispute. Wren might be justified in giving Jeffries a larger purse in case he desired to go to Australia."

Australia's best small man is Hook Keys. He is a 133-pound man and just as fast and clever as Tommy Ryan. Keys is a whirlwind on his feet, and for jabbing and getting away and covering he is a phenom.

PARKE WILSON MAY CATCH FOR OAKLAND

Andy Clunie, owner of the 'Frisco Club, bought Catcher Charles Street from the Cincinnati Club, paying a good price for him. Cincinnati had several backstops,

and was ready to part with Street. Cincinnati secured Street from Torre Haute, Ind., where he played the season of 1904. For Torre Haute Street caught 130 games and batted .293. Torre Haute belongs to

the Central League, which includes cities like Marion, Wheeling, Fort Wayne, South Bend and Grand Rapids.

Signing Street means that Wilson and Shea will both be associated with other clubs this season. For the second catcher, Clunie hopes to secure Graham, the old Tacoma backstop, from Boston, already having made

BUDGET OF NEWS FROM ADJACENT TOWNS

ATTORNEY STARTLES TOWN TRUSTEES



ATTORNEY H. H. JOHNSON.

Tells Berkeley Officials It Is Impossible to State What Ordinances Are in Force.

BERKELEY, Feb. 13.—A statement that startled the Town Trustees was contained in a report to the governing body of the town last night by City Attorney H. H. Johnson, when he informed the Trustees that, as matters stand at present, it is impossible for him to tell what ordinances are, and what ordinances are not, in force at this time.

ordinances supposedly in force, but which may not be in force. Suits for false imprisonment might follow from such arrests, and the town be put to heavy expense.

The town attorney stated the necessity of codifying all the ordinances so that it could be ascertained by him, after referring to the code, exactly what the law is on any particular case. The trustees appeared to appreciate the importance of the proposition, and heard Attorney Johnson's verbal explanation of the matter. The report was referred to the finance committee for an estimate of the expense involved.

WATER RATES WILL BE FIXED BY TRUSTEES

Berkeley Officials Set Date for Consideration of Matter—Other Business Transacted.

BERKELEY, Feb. 13.—After transacting a quantity of routine business last night, the Town Trustees decided to meet in special session next Monday night to fix the water rates for the coming year.

The street committee reported recommending that the petition of P. K. Higgins for a telephone franchise be filed until the result of the dual telephone system in Oakland is determined.

MAP CLERK APPOINTED.

The position of map clerk in the town engineer's office was created, at a salary of \$50 a month, and M. A. G. Smith was appointed to the position.

Superintendent W. R. Scott of the Southern Pacific Company replied to a notification from the board to the effect that the flagman at Adeline street and Alcatraz avenue is not attending properly to his duty, by saying that the matter had been thoroughly investigated and orders issued to the flagman that would insure a proper performance of his duties, minimizing danger at that crossing.

PETITIONS.

Petitions were received from Louis J. Spuller, W. D. Burnham and others requesting an electric light at Alcatraz avenue and Dover street, and from Mrs. L. A. Lord, Reckwood Flint and others asking for an electric light at Henry street and Berkeley way. Referred to electric light committee.

ORDINANCES ADOPTED.

The following ordinances were adopted:

Establishing street grades on Woolsey street between Telegraph and College avenues.

Adopting a method of numbering houses in Berkeley.

Regulating the sale of undrawn slaughtered poultry, fish, game, etc.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED.

Resolutions were adopted rescinding resolutions of intention for street work as follows:

For cement walks on Berkeley way between Shattuck avenue and Oxford street.

For grading Josephine street between Berryman and Hopkins streets.

For grading, etc. Hearst avenue between Shattuck avenue and Oxford street.

For sewer in Milvia street from Allison way northward.

For grading, etc. Folger avenue from San Pablo avenue westward.

For grading, etc. Canola street from San Pablo avenue to Eighth street.

For cement walk on Parker street between Milvia street and Shattuck avenue.

AT THE SPRINGS.

Recent arrivals at Byron Hot Springs are as follows:

From Oakland—Mrs. James H. Swift, Olcott Cummins, J. W. Phillips, F. J. Conklin.

From Alameda—H. G. Bussimius, Fred H. Althorn, J. L. Gould.

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SEARCH AMONG INDIANS

SCIENTISTS FROM THE UNIVERSITY COMPLETE IMPORTANT WORK.

BERKELEY, Feb. 13.—The ethnological and archaeological survey of California conducted by the department of anthropology has completed a fruitful investigation of the Indians of the central part of the State. For some time past the geographical distribution, tribal divisions, and dialects of the Yokuts Indians of the San Joaquin valley and Tulare basin have been under investigation by Dr. A. L. Kroeber of the department, who has now returned from a final trip to this region and announces the completion of the research.

It appears that the Yokuts Indians sixty years ago inhabited all the valley and foothill lands from the Chowchilla river to Tehachapi pass and comprised forty distinct tribes, each of which spoke a different dialect. These dialects, however, were related and prove the original unity of this group of tribes. Of the forty tribes, more than fifteen have become extinct since the coming of the Americans, and only the remembrance of their name and former habitat remains.

Of the surviving tribes and dialects a number are represented by single individuals, and by most of these individuals in part only, as a Yokuts Indian's parents are usually of different tribes.

More than twenty dialects have, however, been recorded by Dr. Kroeber and will be permanently preserved for the study of anthropologists and linguists, together with the information secured regarding the range and habits of each tribe. A full report on the investigation is being prepared and will appear in the University publications.

AMID BOWERS OF DAFFODILS

MANUEL PERRY WEDS MISS ROSE MORRIS IN SAN LORENZO CATHOLIC CHURCH.

SAN LORENZO, Feb. 13.—One of the prettiest of numerous recent weddings, which San Lorenzo is famous, was that of Manuel Perry of Oakland to Miss Rose Morris of San Lorenzo, in St. John the Baptist Catholic Church of this place. In the little church where their friendship blossomed and blossomed, under a bower of golden daffodils, these two joined hands, "for better," of course. They were wedded by Rev. Father O'Mahoney. The wedding occurred at high noon on Wednesday, February 7, and never was the church more beautifully decorated for any occasion.

From the door at the entrance hung a great basket of daffodils—this to give place to an aisle bordered on either side with graceful bamboo, all leading to the front of the church where a great golden daffodil ball hung from the center near the platform. Here was a wealth of acacia and dainty portieres of smilax. Everywhere showed the skilled touch of Miss M. Nugent, whose painstaking work resulted in such beauty.

The bride, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Morris, was dressed with a quiet elegance which became her well. She was attended by her sister, Miss Laura, and the groom by Manuel Lewis.

A wedding breakfast was partaken of at the bride's home, after which the happy couple left, forgetting, however, to tell where they were going. They will live in a pretty little cottage owned by the groom at Ashland.

UP-TO-DATE.

Lorenzo is to have a skating rink. Frank Rose will be presents for the rink Thursday evening in the Village Hall. Skating is all the rage.

FOUR BRIDES AT A TIME

WILL BE GIVEN RECEPTIONS BY GOLDEN LINK REBEKAH LODGE.

FRUITVALE, Feb. 13.—Four recent brides, all members of Golden Link Rebekah Lodge No. 105, I. O. O. F. of Fruitvale, will be given marriage receptions by the lodge in its lodge room at Masonic Hall, Fruitvale, Wednesday evening of this week. They are Anna Forsythe, now Mrs. Delany; Anna Muirhead, now Mrs. Quigley; Alice Watts, now Mrs. Wrenn; and Eva Putnam, now Mrs. McPherson.

THE HALL WILL BE SPECIALLY DECORATED for the occasion. There will be presents for these brides from the lodge, and a reception and a banquet in which their husbands and friends may share; Mrs. Ernestine Welsh, P. D. D., and P. N. G., is to present the presents. Mixed with all else will be music and dancing.

So far as preparations and good-heartedness are concerned it will be one of the pleasantest ever given in Fruitvale.

PERFUME POISONED.

At a lecture in the assembly hall of Moscow school building, Monday about noon, in the overcrowded room, Belle Hokausen, a bright young pupil of the High School, was so overcome by the perfume of the acacia bouquet used to decorate the room, that she was taken home by two girl schoolmates in a collapsed condition.

TREASURES FROM EGYPT

UNIVERSITY RECEIVES WORKS TELLING ABOUT OLD PAPHOS.

BERKELEY, Feb. 13.—The University of California has received from Leipzig a few advance copies of the first volume of its series of publications in Egyptian archaeology. The title of the volume is The Hearst Medical Papyrus, and the series of which it is the first number is dedicated to Mrs. Phoebe Apperson Hearst, who, in the interest of the University of California has borne for five years the entire financial burden of the excavations in Egypt, in Peru, North America and Egypt.

The volume contains the hieratic text of the medical incantations and prescriptions contained in the papyrus known as the Hearst Medical Papyrus, together with an introduction, list of incantations and prescriptions, and vocabulary containing all the words occurring in the papyrus. The text is given in seventeen facsimile colotype plates.

The papyrus was brought to the camp of the Hearst Egyptian Expedition in the spring of 1891 by a peasant of the village where the camp was located, as a mark of his thanks for kindness shown him. The circumstances of its discovery indicate that it belongs to the period between the twelfth and eighteenth Egyptian dynasties. It shows similarity to papyrus known as the Ebers papyrus, but is not a duplicate.

At the time when the Hearst and Ebers papyri were written, the practical medical knowledge of the Egyptians appears to have been contained in a great number of small collections of prescriptions, probably gathered in practice by different physicians stationed in different towns or attached to different temples, and handed down partly in writing and partly in word of mouth. The Hearst papyrus, found in a mud brick house in a provincial town, probably served as a book of reference for the local physician, and less carefully arranged than the Ebers, seems to have been made for this purpose. The Ebers, on the other hand, coming from Thebes, bearing the marks of a riper knowledge and of a more systematic arrangement, may have been a collection belonging to some one of the great Theban priests.

To the Ancient Egyptian every pain and ache was subject to a supernatural influence, both as to cause and cure. Every ailment was regarded as being brought about by the action of charms. There was one incantation to be used for the application of any remedy, another for any bandage, another for any healing draught. Certain more obstinate diseases were to be fought with special incantations in addition to the remedies prescribed.

The volume is the work of George A. Reisner, Hearst Lecturer in Egyptianology of the University of California.

PRIZES FOR THE BALL

ELMHURST GROVE OF DRUIDS AND THEIR MASQUERADE DANCE.

ELMHURST, Feb. 13.—The members of Elmhurst Grove No. 143, United Ancient Order of Druids, are busy at work arranging the details of the masquerade ball on Saturday evening of this week, February 17. The prizes are now on exhibition in the window of Louis Gianni's grocery store. Each prize is of value and with the long list to be offered it is expected that many will contend for the favor of the judges on the night of the event.

As the list has been made up, the prizes are to be distributed as follows:

Best dressed lady, 1st prize, \$5; best dressed gentleman, 1st prize, \$5; best dressed lady, 2d prize, glove order; best dressed gentleman, 2d prize, glove order; best sustained character, gentleman, having set; best sustained character, lady, 2d prize, bronze statuette; best sustained character, gentleman, 2d prize, one half case of wine; best original character, lady, one-quarter ton of coal; most original character, gentleman, small pig; most comical character, lady, fifty pound sack of flour; most comical character, gentleman, Brahma roast; best booby prize, lady, a pound of soap; best group of three or more, cash prize to be awarded.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Letters for the following named persons remain uncalled for at the Elmhurst postoffice:

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CHARGED WITH BURGLARY.

A. W. Jones was booked at the city prison yesterday afternoon on a charge of burglary. He is en route to Sulsum where he is alleged to have committed the crime. Constable Downing arrested him at Merced and brought him to this city.

BORNE TO THEIR REST

SERVICES IN MEMORY OF GEORGE W. FOSTER AND SOPHIE SOITO.

HAYWARD, Feb. 13.—For George W. Foster, the pioneer of '49 who had been quite prominent in the times that saw the advent of the first transcontinental railway, there were not only funeral services in Pioneer Hall, San Francisco, on Sunday last, but also at the grave in Lone Tree Cemetery, Haywards, as his remains were laid away in their last resting place.

There were many friends and people present. The talk by Evangelist William Mullen was sensible and deeply impressive, and the singing by Mrs. Brown, Fred Harty, and other ladies was beautiful. Certainly one could not ask to have the remains of more sweet and impressive than those with which Hayward bade goodbye to this old-time citizen and friend.

SOPHIE SOITO.

The funeral of the beautiful thirteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Soito, who died from typhoid fever Saturday afternoon, was held Monday from the Catholic Church with many friends in attendance.

BACK AGAIN.

Mrs. Mary C. Fitzpatrick, who came home from the County Infirmary, a short time ago, partially cured, was taken back there on Monday to undergo an operation.

BUSINESS NOTES.

Mayor Heyer predicts that the Western Pacific depot will be near the Clark place on C street, fronting on the Meek tract.

The Hayward Manufacturing Company this week put in a new steam plant and will shortly make a number of extensive improvements.

J. J. Booth sold his eight acre orchard in a high state of cultivation to James C. Littlejohn of Vallejo, who will occupy it at once. E. S. Warren made the sale.

L. T. Sorensen, who has been attending the State Dairy College at Madison, Wis., returned Tuesday. He has been selected to take charge of the Milk River Creamery, Humboldt County.

PERSONAL

Miss Paula Knudson will be united in marriage to Dr. Albert Preston Ringressy, at the home of the bride in San Francisco, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. A number of friends from here will attend.

Mrs. Fred Tripp, of Pocatello, Idaho, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. Bridge. Her husband is expected here in a few weeks.

Miss Abbie Webster returned from the East the first of the week, delighted to get back to California.

Mrs. F. W. Browning will represent Union Lodge, Degree of Honor, at the Grand Lodge which convenes at Santa Cruz on April 11.

LOUIS ASSALENA DIES IN NORTH

The relatives in this vicinity of Louis R. Assalena, well known as a young business man in Oakland, have received word of his sudden death as a result of heart failure, while in his office in Eugene, Oregon, where he had gone about a month ago to assume the position of manager for the Singer Sewing Machine Company.

Mr. Assalena was 26 years old. His death occurred Saturday evening last at about 8:30 o'clock, but beyond this no particulars have been received. Mr. Assalena was formerly assistant manager for the Singer Company in this city, leaving here to become their manager at Stockton, whence he was called to Oregon, stopping here on the way for a brief visit.

The remains are to be sent here for interment. Mr. Assalena leaves a boy of four years, a mother, Mrs. C. E. Robinson, of Fruitvale, and two brothers, Claude L. and Parker L. Assalena.

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ADVANCERS DISCUSS THE RAILROADS

Agitation Concerning the Alameda Franchise Causes Improvement Association to Take Matter Up.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 13.—The agitation started by F. W. McCann, a former director of the Alameda Advancement Association, has at last brought that association to a discussion of the railroad affairs in this city.

At the meeting last night F. M. Greenwood was present and spoke on his application for a franchise that is pending before the Board of Trustees. It is only after many weeks that the A. A. has taken the matter up, after having previously declared that it was not in its province to discuss railroad affairs.

Attorney Hart, who is the representative of F. W. McCann, in his application, was not present at the meeting. What action the members of the directorate took in the matter is not known, the members having nothing to say and as the meeting had been declared an executive one the representatives of the press were not present. The fact that the meeting was an executive one did not deter the directors from discussing matters of public interest to the people of Alameda.

Many other matters were discussed but have not been given out in full for publication. The resignation of F. W. McCann, who had so much to say on the railroad question that the different clubs were compelled to take action, the A. A. being the last, was accepted.

PROMINENT WOMAN GONE.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 13.—Mrs. Annie Rogers Wood, wife of C. L. Wood, who had been prominent for years as a club woman, and known throughout the State owing to her enthusiastic interest in the woman suffrage movement, passed away at 5:12 p. m. yesterday afternoon at her home, at the corner of Wood street and Pacific avenue. Death was due to pneumonia, with other complications.

Mrs. Wood took a trip to San Francisco only last Thursday, when she was taken ill. When she returned to her home she had a severe chill, and was obliged to take to her bed, never to arise. She was attended by her son-in-law, Dr. J. H. Hughes, of San Francisco, but in spite of every medical aid she grew steadily worse until the end came yesterday.

Deceased had served, a number of years ago, as president of the State Woman's Suffrage Association, and was very prominently identified with club work as well as widely known in Alameda.

CHOOSE DELEGATES.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 13.—At a meeting in Linder Hall last evening of non-partisan municipal ownership advocates the following delegates were elected to attend the State Public Utility convention to be held at Fresno, on February 22: R. A. Daguerre, Fritz Boehmer, Charles H. Metcalf, O. E. Swaine, E. B. Dunning and M. S. Taylor.

ALAMEDA NOTES.

ALAMEDA, Feb. 13.—Superintendent of the Municipal Light Plant Kahn is able to be about after an illness of several weeks.

Walter Jenkins left for Watsonville yesterday. He will accept a position with a firm at that place.

The low seniors of the High School have issued notice for a dance to be given in the Assembly Hall of the school, Friday evening, February 23.

"CO-EDS" BEWARE OF THIS OFFICER

Professor Moses' Cherry Trees to Be Guarded Hereafter by a "Cop."

BERKELEY, Feb. 13.—No more will the fruits and flowers of Prof. Bernard Moses' beautiful home place on Piedmont avenue be spoil for the "co-eds" from the university, for there is a new keeper of the premises, and last night he was made a special officer by the Town Trustees for the specific purpose of protecting the place from "petty thieves."

Everybody remembers how the university girls stirred the ire of Professor Moses a year or two ago by calmly taking great quantities of his cherry blossoms, for use in adorning their sorority house, when a small tree was one of the invited guests at the tea. During the afternoon of that day, after he had returned home and observed the damage done, he was angry for what he regarded as a gross outrage.

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Professor Moses in his classroom, until the campus resounded with the echoes of the affair.

To the university Professor Moses is to go away on a tour of South America for a year, and has leased the Piedmont avenue place to Harold French, there are to be no chances taken with the "co-eds" evidently, as the French has informed Professor Moses' cherry trees, and he has decided that he will be prepared to administer vengeance himself to all provokers, be they "co-eds" or otherwise.

To the town Trustees he held himself last night and sought an appointment as special officer. He specifically stated that he desired to cultivate the fruits and flowers of the place, and to enjoy them unmolested, referring to the "co-eds" of the last season who had invaded the place. French informed the trustees that he is employed in the United States Mint at San Francisco. He had consulted with Marshal Vollmer, he announced, and had informed the latter that in event of emergency, he, as a special officer, would be prepared to take a hand.

The trustees granted his request, and he was made a special officer.

NO CHANCE FOR SALOON MEN

SOUTH BERKELEY DEALERS ARE "TURNED DOWN" BY TOWN TRUSTEES.

BERKELEY, Feb. 13.—The Trustees decided last night that there shall be no saloons in South Berkeley, and so the hopes of the men who had planned to secure an amendment to the license ordinance, permitting two saloons to operate in that part of town, went glimmering.

William Krahn and Charles Wieman lost their licenses in South Berkeley a month ago, when the Trustees reduced the number of saloons in Berkeley from twenty-three to ten. The blow was unexpected and the men could not reconcile themselves to the loss. They engaged legal counsel and had petitions circulated for an amended ordinance, in their favor. Their efforts were in vain.

The Trustees last night rejected the report of the license committee recommending the denial of the petition for an amended ordinance. The report was adopted.

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UNFURNISHED ROOMS TO LET.

THREE sunny, unfurnished, connecting rooms, near Key Route station; gas, bath and laundry; running water; rent \$12.50. 2118 Elm st., near 34th.

FOR unfurnished, sunny rooms and bath for rent; reasonable. 955 11th st.

HOUSES AND ROOMS WANTED.

TWO or four sunny furnished or unfurnished rooms. Adults. 804 Cleveland.

WANTED—2 or 3 nicely furnished housekeeping rooms. 815 10th.

WANTED—By 2 young men, brothers, sunny room with bath, on Blackstone Hill or in the immediately vicinity; must be strictly first-class. Answer Tribune office.

WANT three sunny, light housekeeping rooms, furnished or partly furnished; central. 933 7th ave.

WANTED—2 or 4 desirable unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; within walking distance of Court House; must be good location and reasonable; no children; reference if desired. Box 991 Tribune office.

WANTED—4 or 5 rooms; also light basement or shed west of Washington st. Box 971, Tribune office.

WANTED—Flat of 4 or 5 rooms, furnished or unfurnished; near local. Address Box 773, Tribune office.

HOUSES UNFURNISHED TO LET

For Rent

SIX room cottage on 12th st. of street within short distance of the City Hall.

Eight room house near Telegraph ave., within short distance of business center of city.

J. TYRRELL, 1010 Broadway.

Real Estate Insurance Surety Bonds

Elegant 10-Room Residence

North side of Hobart st., near Telegraph ave.; large, sunny rooms; choice private home for families. Albert S. Day, 1232 Broadway.

FOR RENT—Nice 3-room modern house; close in; cheap rent to steady tenant; snap. Leonard & Co., 528 San Pablo.

320 ideal home for small family. Key at 1185 East 33d St., E. O.

FIVE-ROOM cottage for rent; 470 E. 33d St., near C. L. Brown, 66 Santa Clara Ave.

SIX room cottage with bath; 36th st. nr. San Pablo ave.; \$15. McKean, 458 8th.

FIVE room cottage, modern; in rear; rent \$12; 2 rooms upstairs; housekeeping. 508 E. 15th.

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED.

LADY employed short hours would exchange services morning and evening for room and board. Address Box 4, Tribune office.

LARGE sunny room, with board, by lady; good location; rent \$5.00. Address 7 and 2, 12th St.

WANTED—Sunny side and good board, in refined Jewish family. Mrs. I. P. Davidson, Hayward, Cal.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.

SAINT FRANCIS

Elegant Furnished Housekeeping Apartments, private bath; electric lights; new. 570 19th st., cor. San Pablo ave.

2 or 3 nicely furnished housekeeping rooms. 915 10th.

3 nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, for \$10.00 a month. 755 Jefferson.

2 nicely furnished sunny rooms, with kitchen, in small family; no other roomers, near depot, references exchanged; no sign. 281 5th st.

FURNISHED, sunny, housekeeping rooms; also single rooms for gentlemen; bath; gas and phone. The Tyrone, 540 13th st.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, furnished complete; \$2.50 per week. 520 Broadway.

THREE furnished housekeeping rooms, right in residential section. 650 14th.

THREE convenient sunny attic rooms. 715 11th st.

TWO or 3 furnished rooms to adults; large yard. 271 8th st.

2 HOUSEKEEPING rooms; gas, bath and laundry; \$10. 1014 30 ave.

TWO large sunny furnished housekeeping rooms. 528 13th.

CONVENIENT suite of housekeeping rooms. 517 San Pablo.

TWO furnished rooms for housekeeping; very reasonable. 528 Jackson.

2 or 3 ROOMS, furnished for housekeeping; \$3.00 and \$4. 1155 Market.

2 FURNISHED, sunny, large housekeeping rooms, nice; 1161 E. 15th.

ROOMS, all kinds, housekeeping or single; elegant, sunny; gas, bath, running water; 1221 3d ave., cor. E. 15th.

TWO rooms furnished for housekeeping; gas range and laundry. 819 Clay, cor. 6th st.

FOR RENT—3 nicely furnished housekeeping rooms; adults. 1124 Myrtle.

1 or 2 HOUSEKEEPING rooms for rent; 518 6th st., up stairs. Furniture for sale; party going away.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms; will take part payment in board if desired. 923 Filbert st.

FOUR furnished housekeeping rooms; large yard and bath. 510 14th.

FOR RENT—2 or 3 furnished rooms in a private family. 585 Grove.

TO LET—Sunny front room, furnished for light housekeeping. 644 12th, cor. Grove.

ONE large room for housekeeping; adults. 1453 Bay, near 19th.

THREE sunny, furnished, connecting, housekeeping rooms; adults only. 625 10th st.

TWO large, unfurnished housekeeping rooms. 254 12th st., corner Alameda.

ASTOR HOUSE, 585 Clay—Newly furnished; family apartments; single rooms; under new management; strictly first-class; terms reasonable. L. and A. Elcke.

HOUSEKEEPING, 3 rooms and bath; furnished. 1444 14th st., near 12th.

TWO sunny rooms; complete for housekeeping; use of piano. 829 Oak st.

TWO pleasant, housekeeping, furnished rooms. 1065 Clay st.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms; sunny; all new furniture. 288 9th st.

SUNNY, furnished housekeeping rooms; every convenience. 517 19th st.

FINE sunny rooms, completely furnished for housekeeping; also 2 front offices; Filbert st.; phone 482.

THREE sunny, furnished, connecting, housekeeping rooms; adults only. 625 10th st.

TWO unfurnished rooms for housekeeping; reasonable. 5206 Telegraph.

FOR RENT—Sunny front housekeeping rooms. 566 10th st.

THREE furnished rooms for housekeeping; \$12.50 per month. 829 Bush st.

THREE or four rooms, 12th and Broadway, \$10 or \$20. 1363 10th st., Oakland.

FOR RENT—4 furnished rooms for housekeeping; no children. 1211 West 9th.

TWO rooms; furnished; housekeeping; outside entrance; \$30 month. Wilson, 556 East 20th st., near 17th ave., take Fruitvale car. 12th and Broadway.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms; adults. 1116 Bush st., Oakland.

TWO or 3 unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. 14th Franklin st.

FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping; also a flat of 3 rooms and bath; board and furnished; near trains. 418 6th st.

SUNNY front housekeeping rooms, also single; convenient and central. Apply 418 6th st.

FOR RENT—2 or 3 housekeeping rooms. 235 Elm st., cor. of Edward near Telegraph. Bet. 36th and 38th; Phone Oakland 2260; also one room for a gentleman.

"DUNDAS" Apartments—Sunny 3 and 4-room suites, private bath; up-to-date; furnished and board furnished. 305 San Pablo ave. and 17th st.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

BOARD for 2 or 3 men at \$4 per week; private family. Box 999, Tribune.

ROOM and board for 2 gentlemen. In private family. 610 Telegraph ave.; phone Oakland 1216.

THE WIXON HOUSE—Furnished or unfurnished rooms, with or without board. 147 Hobart st.

ROOM and board in private house; every accommodation. 1207 Castro, next to cor. 14th.

658 FOURTEENTH, opp. Library—Desirable sunny alcove room; excellent table; references.

WANTED—To room and board a young lady, or couple of children. Call or write. Box 802.

BOX STABLE for rent, with separate carriage or will build to suit tenant. 1020 Oak st.; phone Oakland 1723.

FURNISHED rooms with board. 750 12th.

ROOM and board for 1 gentleman; closet and furniture; very convenient home cooking; house newly furnished. 1207 Castro, cor. 14th.

JUANITA HOTEL—320 San Pablo ave., rooms with or without board.

WILL have 2 beautiful connecting front rooms, single or en suite; running water; gas; bath and phone in residence; I am furnishing new to occupy Feb. 1; board with family if desired. 297 Castro, next to cor. 14th st. I can be seen regarding same at 687 18th st. 101 February 1.

FINE front room and board, suitable for 2 or 3 people; good neighborhood; good food; to brood and garage and electric cars. 10 minutes' walk to City Hall. 368 Oak st.

5th-8 ROOMS, partly furnished; furniture, money advanced; 12th and Broadway. 1004 Franklin, N.E. cor. 5th st.

ROOM and board for 1 or 2 in private family. 111 10th st.

ROOMS with board; home cooking; reasonable; place changed; rooms. 707 10th st.

1437 FRANKLIN—Furnished rooms for housekeeping or rooms and board.

NEW and elegant furniture of 8-roomed house for sale at a sacrifice; parties leaving city in 6 days; rooms all rented; nice house, good neighborhood; rent \$25.00. 720 7th st. nr. Bush st.

NEWLY furnished rooms; phone; steam heat; gas; cooking; table board; every accommodation. Mrs. S. Wiener, 1393 Grove st., NV cor. 17th st.

I OR 3 children to board; over 8 years; 2nd home. Tel. Oakland 2845.

NICELY furnished rooms, with first-class board; good location. 1205 Madison st.

THE ALEXANDRA—First-class up-to-date. 768 Webster st.

SUNNY suite and board. 5th 13th st.

FURNISHED FLATS TO LET.

FOR RENT—Furnished, lower flat of 5 rooms and bath. 1164 Alameda, cor. 13th.

FURNISHED, 7-room flat; 718 Sycamore st. Key at 718 Sycamore. 435.

FOR 3 months—Furnished 4-room flat; steam heat; in the most modern apartment house in Oakland; close in; no children; references. Box 851, Tribune office.

FLATS TO LET.

FOR RENT—Modern Flats, close to cars and local.

4 rooms, water free, \$16.00. 5 rooms, water free, \$18.00. 4 rooms, water free, \$16.00. Renters see our list.

3-room house, close in, \$27.50. Property holders, list with us.

LEONARD & CO., 528 San Pablo, Phone Oakland 387.

37.50—NEW modern sunny upper flat of 6 rooms at 687 13th st. Key at 672 17th.

UNFURNISHED flat, sunny; 5 rooms and bath. 1111 1st ave., E. Oakland.

NEW sunny upper flat, 6 rooms; Curtis st., near 19th; rent reasonable. Key, street, 829 20th st.

FOR RENT—3 flats, E. Oakland; cheap rent; fine view; close to car line; see these. Leonard & Co., 528 San Pablo.

SUNNY cor. lower flat; fine rooms; bath; basement; central; separate entrance. Apply 720 17th st.

NEW, modern flat, 6 rooms; Hobart st., near Broadway; \$25; gas and electric lights. Inquire 333 11th st.

37.50—LOWER, sunny, 7-room flat; five minutes' walk to City Hall; choice location. F. F. Porter, 468 8th st.

FLAT of 3 sunny rooms and bath; unfurnished or partly furnished; adults only. 1857 West 10th.

THREE new, modern, 6-room sunny flats. 892 Telegraph ave., cor. 24th st.

RENT reduced to \$29; new modern flat of 6 rooms; gas and electric light; etc.; basement and yard; no local and party. 174 33d, bet. Jackson and Madison st. Key at 172 8th st.

FOR RENT—Upper flat; 5 rooms; large porch; sunny; every convenience. 553 3rd st.

THE DUNDAS—3 or 4 modern sunny rooms and bath. 308 San Pablo ave.

UPPER corner flat of 6 rooms; bath, gas; rent \$16. Cor. Washington and Barrett sts. 2 blocks from Fruitvale station.

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT.

PURCHASED, a fine 6-room cottage at 579 32d st.; modern; nice garden; bath; lease. o

TEN-ROOM furnished house; rented now; owner going away; will sell cheap for cash. 1857 13th st.

WANTED—A responsible and refined couple with whom to divide an 8-room house, conveniently situated to local and town center, near Madison and Broadway; modern; furnish. Apply Box 973, Tribune office.

Furnished Cottage

We have a good furnished cottage of 4 rooms, bath, laundry, etc., at 2381 Linden st., near 32d, that we will rent for \$20 per month, including water.

JAS. S. NALSMITH

1058 WASHINGTON ST.

A YOUNG couple, no children, will divide a nicely furnished cottage, including piano, with desirable party; two or four rooms complete for housekeeping; close in; stable if desired. Address Box 958 Tribune.

STORES AND OFFICES FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Half of City Directory office, Blake & Moffitt Bldg.; well adapted for lawyer or real estate agent; \$7 per month; reasonable. Inquire Abrahamson Bros.

TO RENT on lease—Two upper floors of building, cor. Clay and 13th sts.; rent reasonable to right tenants. Apply to Hugo Abrahamson.

FOR RENT—In Abrahamson's Building (next to Cudry, Photographer), elevator service; rent reasonable. Inquire Abrahamson Bros.

FOR RENT—Miscellaneous.

NACABEE Temple to let Sunday p. m. and evenings. Inquire Silverstein, 472 5th st.

FOR RENT—Barn, 936 Filbert st. p.

FOR RENT—Barn, suitable for 2 horses. 1268 Webster.

PIANO for rent in excellent condition for cash. 556 15th st.

TO LET—Boarding and lodging house of 22 rooms, completely furnished. Apply 408 6th st. bet. Bldwy. and Franklin sts.

MOVING AND STORAGE.

LYON-DIMOCK CO., first-class, fireproof warehouse; largest vans, out-state shippers. 468 11th st., Tel. Oakland 307.

BEKINS Van and Storage; packing, moving and storing furniture; brick warehouse; shipping at reduced rates. 1020 Broadway. Tel. Oakland 307.

WILSON BROS. CO.—Moving bet. Oakland and San Francisco; covered vans; experienced help; low rates; phone Exchange 97. 2710

COOK-WORRELL Storage & Moving Co.—Furniture, pianos, merchandise, packing and shipping. Office, 543 14th st.; phone Oakland 2235.

UNFURNISHED Warehouse—Separate apartments; money advanced; 2 front offices; 8th st.; phone Oakland 1950.

HAIR PHYSICIAN.

DR. M. M. CARTER, HAIR PHYSICIAN, diseases of head and hair treated; scalp massage; consultation free. 214 E. 14th st. 1114 Washington st.; phone Oakland 4704.

THE YELLOWSTONE.

JAMES TWOMEY AND VINCENT MILLVOICH—21 Montgomery, street San Francisco; piano, 2nd hand; 2nd hand line of fine liquors and cigars also; best cafe service in the city.

TYPEWRITERS.

NEW and second-hand typewriters bought, sold, rented, repaired, exchanged. South Bros., 423 13th st.

UMBRELLAS.

UMBRELLAS repaired and re-covered. Novelty Repair Works, 506 San Pablo.

RESTAURANTS.

COLUMBIA TAPALE PARLOR, 464 4th st.—Spanish dishes, up-to-date; everything first-class; private rooms. Phone Box 847. Barbara Bros. props.

MERCHANT'S RESTAURANT, 472 9th st.—Furniture, pianos, merchandise, packing and shipping. Office, 543 14th st.; phone Oakland 2235.

FOR RENT or for sale—J. H. P. to 15 H. P. motors, direct and alternating. Oakland Electrical Co., 446 12th st.

FOR SALE—A gentle saddle horse. Apply 1260 Franklin st.

FOR SALE—Fischer piano, small; in good repair; best style; \$75. Benton, 408 Hawthorne ave.

SHOW cases, new and old, for sale or exchange. 760 Franklin st.

FOR SALE—First-class soda fountain and show cases. 1206 13

